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ZEPPELIN RAID SEEN BY LOWELL ACROBAT

Albert St. George Describes Descent Upon London—Saw Bombs Fall

Albert St. George, the famous acrobat and slack wire artist, who has toured Europe, being in London during the Zeppelin raid in the latter part of September, who was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome St. George, of 27 Fisher street, has left for Brooklyn, N. Y., where he will start on a tour of the Keith circuit, having signed a 30-weeks' engagement with the B. F. Keith Co.

Mr. St. George was scheduled to perform in Paris last Friday, but on account of the European conflict he gave up his contract and came back to this country, coming as far as Lowell to visit his parents and renew acquaintances. The Lowellian came directly from London, where for several months he performed in local theatres. He was in the capital of England during the German Zeppelin raids and he told an interesting story concerning the aerial bombardments.

Speaking about the Zeppelin raids Mr. St. George said that at the close of an evening performance at a theatre he went out and joined the large throng of people in the street, this being on Sept. 13. With the large multitude of men, women and children he watched with interest the aeroplanes flying over the city and occasionally dropping bombs. Not very far from a theatre in which Mr. St. George was performing, a large building was struck by a bomb dropped from one of the aerial craft and was entirely demolished.

The morning following the raid, said Mr. St. George, the mutilated body of a German soldier was found on the roof of an apartment house and it was believed that he had dropped from an aeroplane. At his side was found a pair of field glasses, which it is believed he had used in watching signals

given by Germans who make their home in London. Mr. St. George reports that Germans who live in London and who are British subjects have been caught in the act of giving signals to their compatriots while the latter were flying over the city. These signals were given by means of powerful green lights placed in chimneys and which can be easily detected by aeroplane operators, but which cannot be seen from the street. These lights have proven of great help to the aerial raiders.

"It seems," said Mr. St. George, "that a Canadian soldier, who is now in London, was aware of the presence of some of those green lights, but he never said a word to the authorities about them. Finally it was learned that this Canadian knew about the lights and when asked why he did not inform the proper authorities his reply was, 'If I had said a word I would have been told to mind my own business.'"

During his travels in Europe Mr. St. George went to Madrid, Spain, where he witnessed the famous bull fights, which he said are great events among the Spaniards. He said the king and queen of Spain attend these fights every Thursday afternoon and they are among the most interested ones. Mr. St. George has traveled extensively during the past few years and is now able to speak French, English, Italian, Spanish and German. He left Liverpool on Sept. 22 and sailed on the same ship as Lord and Lady Aberdeen, making the voyage aboard the S. S. New York. He is now 40 years of age and is known on the stage as Albert Kartell, slack wire artist. It is expected that within a short time he will perform at the B. F. Keith theatre in this city.

TESTING THE OLD PIPES

More Discussion of City Hall Plumbing—Mr. Costello's Suggestion for Day Work Adopted

Further discussion of the testing of the soil pipes in the Memorial building now under process of reconstruction was held in the public reception room at city hall this forenoon.

Present at the conference was the mayor and other members of the municipal council, Architects Stickney and Graves, Inspector Connors of the health department, Inspector Connor of the

building department and Thomas F. Costello, who is doing the plumbing work at the Memorial building. The question had to do principally with the testing of the old pipes and the informal vote was taken allowing Mr. Costello eight dollars a day to make the test.

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SUPERIOR COURT SESSION

CRIMINAL SESSION WILL BE HELD HERE, OPENING WEDNESDAY, NOV. 3

In order to accommodate Lowell people and attorneys who have cases to be tried or disposed of at the November sitting of the criminal session of superior court, which is usually held in East Cambridge, District Attorney Corcoran of Middlesex county will have the session convene at the Gorham street court house Wednesday, November 3, and remain here until all Lowell matters are cleared up.

For several years, Lowell lawyers have endeavored to have criminal cases in which Lowell parties are interested presented to the court in this city in order to save time and also the expense involved in transferring witnesses to Cambridge and back but District Attorney Corcoran is the first to comply with the request. At this time it is reported there are a large number of Lowell cases on the November list and the movement of holding the court in this city is warmly appreciated by attorneys and the public.

A City Girl Visits Her Mother in the Country

And what a time she had. She came back a month ago but has never stopped talking about the old frame house and its little garden, and how much better the spring water was that bubbled from the spring at the foot of the mountain.

One day she went into her mother's room and found a rug that was slightly frayed along the edge where it had had the most wear. She turned the heavy rug around so the worn end went in to the corner where it could not be seen.

A few hours later the mother came down stairs and said: "Daughter, have you been in my 'room' this morning? I don't know what has happened for everything looks new and nice. I think you must of done something to brighten it up."

It does not take so very much to make people happy if one just has his wits about him.

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ON THE SQUARE

ARMS EMBARGO

Carranza Only Leader in Mexico Exempt by Pres. Wilson's Order

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—President Wilson today declared an embargo on the shipment of arms and ammunition to Mexico.

President Wilson signed a supplementary order, however, which excepts Gen. Carranza's government from the embargo and permits munitions to go through to him unhampered. The prohibition applies to the factions opposed to the government which the United States has recognized.

The president's proclamation is based upon the authority conferred by Congress in 1912 and follows closely the terms of President Taft's proclamation issued when the revolution was on against Madero.

A CORRECTION

In the Saunders market ad yesterday the item in reference to the liver and bacon combination conveyed the impression that one-half pound liver and bacon would be sold at 16c. As a matter of fact it should have read one pound of liver and one-half pound of bacon, all for 16c. Tariff housewives will be keen to appreciate that this combination is a rare bargain.

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SERBIANS DRIVEN BACK BY AUSTRO-GERMANS

Bulgarians Also Make Progress in Serbia—Serbian Capital Transferred—

Turkish Forces Join Bulgarians in Opposing Allied Operations—New Attack on Montenegro

Serbia's desperately resisting forces continue to be forced back by the relentless pressure of the Austro-German invaders.

Today's official statement from Berlin records the enforced retreat of the Serbians south of Lucina and Bozavica, the latter place being some 20 miles south of the Danube.

Bulgarians Advance

Bulgarian troops have captured Sultan Topo with 2000 Serbian prisoners and 12 cannon. The Austrians also have made progress in moving on

Shabatz, on the Save river west of Belgrade.

French Protect Railway

French troops have succeeded in protecting the lower end of the Nish-Saloniki line, and large additions to their forces are on the way to Saloniki, a despatch from that city states. The general movement of the allies from Saloniki is said to be awaiting the concentration there of sufficient forces for their operations.

Serbian Capital at Pzirend

Saloniki advises state that the Ser-

bian capital has been transferred from Nish to Pzirend, close to the Albanian frontier in western Serbia.

Quiet in the West

No important operations on the western front are reported by any of the belligerents. In Russia advances for the army of Field Marshal von Hindenburg northeast and northwest of Mltau, southwest of Riga, are claimed by Berlin.

Big Russian Loan

Russia is preparing to issue a short

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TRIAL OF NEW HAVEN MEN

GOVERNMENT BEGAN PRESENTATION OF EVIDENCE TODAY—TO CALL MELLIN

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The United States government began today the presentation of its evidence against William Rockefeller, Lewis Cass Leary, Edward D. Robbins and eight others charged, while directors of the New Haven railroad, with conspiracy to monopolize the railroads and trolley lines of New England.

The government planned to call Charles S. Mellin, formerly president of the New Haven road, today. Mr. Mellin is regarded as one of the government's most important witnesses and the prosecutors expect to build up around his evidence the whole story of the alleged manipulation of the New Haven's finances and the purchase or combination of many railroad and steamship lines.

According to the present plans of the special assistant attorneys general who are conducting the case for the government, Mr. Mellin will take the witness stand twice. On the first occasion he will be questioned about the affairs of the road during his first period of employment prior to going west. His story of what transpired after he became president in 1903 will be told later unless Judge Hunt rules that Mr. Mellin must tell his whole story at once.

It was expected that before placing Mr. Mellin on the witness stand, the government would introduce a mass of documentary evidence. Warren D. Chase of Hartford, one of the witnesses subpoenaed by the government to tell about the transactions involving the New Haven company's steamship lines, promised to be in court today. He was called in court yesterday but did not appear.

Mr. Mellin arrived in the federal building a half hour before court opened and went in conference with Mr. Batte and Frank L. Swacker, the federal attorneys. When he entered the court room there was a broad smile on his face. He was greeted by Rob-

ert W. Taft, one of the men on trial. Other of the directors against whom he is to testify, rose to shake his hand.

The defendants' counsel, also welcomed the government's star witness and, until the appearance of Judge Hunt, the former president of the road was the center of a laughing, joking group.

Mr. Clark was then called and the government began the introduction of documentary evidence, which includes minutes of the New Haven board of directors' meetings.

Halloween party, Richardson Hotel, Thursday evening, Oct. 28.

PLEAS OF GUILTY

Seven Defendants in Moonshine Conspiracy Cases Admit Guilt

FORT SMITH, Ark., Oct. 20.—Seven men on trial charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in the manufacture of moonshine whiskey, pleaded guilty in the United States district court here today. Sentence will be pronounced tomorrow. The case against Fred Bowles of Fort Smith, the eighth defendant, was dismissed. The cases against the defendants went to trial yesterday and their action today was a surprise.

BIG RUSSIAN LOAN

PETROGRAD, Oct. 20, via London, 2:11 p. m.—The Russian government is preparing for the early issue of an internal loan of 1,000,000,000 rubles (\$500,000,000). The interest rate will be 5-1/2 per cent. The loan will run for a short term.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MRS. EILLS WINS

Granted Custody of Her Daughter by District Court in Tokio

TOKIO, Oct. 20.—The custody of Olga Eills, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Eills of Massachusetts, was awarded to the mother today by the district court. Mr. Eills appeared in court to oppose his wife's application.

The Eills case has attracted considerable interest in Tokio. The attempt of Mrs. Eills to secure custody of her daughter began several years ago in Massachusetts. After long legal controversy in that state Mrs. Eills was granted the custody of the child but before the decree could be enforced Mr. Eills left the United States with his daughter and went to Japan, where he obtained a position as teacher in the Tokio higher commercial school. An attempt to secure the extradition of Mr. Eills nearly three years ago failed. During the extradition proceedings Olga Eills was placed in charge of Baron N. Kanada.

Mrs. Eills then decided to go to Japan herself. Several months ago she began proceedings in the Japanese courts to secure the custody of her child, offering the Massachusetts decree in evidence of her right.

Eills was well known in Lowell, where he appeared as a preacher. Later he accepted a position as a telegraph operator.

238 ON SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Two hundred and thirty-eight machinists employed in the tool department of the General Vehicle company's plant at Long Island City went on strike today in sympathy with the strikers at the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, according to William Bean of the International Association of Machinists. He said the vehicle company was owned by the General Electric Co., and that the men here would stay on strike until the one in Schenectady is settled.

MAN KILLED AT NASHUA IN RACIAL STRIKE RIOT

Poles Assailed Greeks—Reign of Terror in City—Militia on Guard at Mill—Many Wounded and Still in Hospital

The strike situation at Nashua is now aggravated by racial strife among the mill operatives.

As a result of a clash between Poles and Greeks in the mill district there yesterday two men of the latter nationality were seriously wounded and one, James Stradin, died this morning as a result of his injuries. The Greeks, who are not on strike were assailed by the Poles and Lithuanians, who form the majority of the strikers.

The city of Nashua is in the grip of the biggest strike in the entire history of the state of New Hampshire, and as a result of the general riot of Monday and the outbreak yesterday afternoon in which two foreigners were rushed to the hospital in a serious condition, one of whom has since died, the city is now practically under martial law.

Two Nashua military companies, augmented by reinforcements from Manchester, N. H., are guarding the property of the Nashua Manufacturing Co. in Factory street on the outside, while hundreds of special watchmen, who are engaged inside the big plant doing necessary work, are ready for any emergency call.

Man Murdered Yesterday

A Sun representative arrived in the New Hampshire city yesterday afternoon just in the midst of a very serious outbreak at the corner of Tolles and Canal streets. A crowd of men who were standing at the corner of the two streets were overheard in altercation in a foreign language. It was plain to be seen that something unusual was going on. Suddenly shots

rang out and two men were seen to drop to the sidewalk, and a number of men ran down Canal street. A big crowd quickly gathered around and a riot call was sent in for the police.

Meanwhile the auto ambulance was summoned and the injured men were driven post haste to St. Joseph's hospital, where their names were immediately placed on the danger list. One of the men, James Stradin, of Greek nationality, died at the hospital this morning. A number of persons who crowded around the injured men after the fight were also injured, as friends of the principals joined in the melee.

The dead man and the injured man at the hospital, who were of Greek nationality, it is said, were seen standing at the corner for some time before

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SAYS PREMIER ASQUITH HAS ALREADY RESIGNED

Bottomley Predicts Collapse of Coalition Government—Declares Bonar Law Will Succeed Asquith

LONDON, Oct. 20, 5:30 a. m.—Horatio Bottomley, liberal member of parliament in a speech at Newcastle last night predicted the immediate collapse of the coalition government. He said that the premier, for all practical purposes, already had resigned and would be succeeded by Andrew Bonar Law but that the new experiment would be no more successful than the coalition and that before the end of the war "we should have a revolution or a national council of business men."

PREMIER ASQUITH BETTER

LONDON, Oct. 20, 12:15 p. m.—The condition of Premier Asquith, who was suddenly taken ill yesterday, was described by his physicians at noon today as satisfactory. The following bulletin was given out: "The prime minister passed a satisfactory night. His condition improved. He will be confined to his room all day."

CABINET MEMBERS QUESTIONED

LONDON, Oct. 20, 3:32 p. m.—Cabinet ministers again were bombarded with

war questions in the house of commons today, but for the most part they managed to escape an intended frontal attack. In the course of the replies it developed that the officer who commanded the landing of British troops at Suvla Bay, on the Gallipoli peninsula, has been shelled and that he holds no command in the army at present; but Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary for war, declined to give further information on the ground that it would be against public interest.

The suggestion made by William Joyson-Hicks, unionist member of the Brentford division of Middlesex of a policy of reprisals as a deterrent to Zeppelin raids was frowned upon by the war office. Mr. Tennant remarking that such a policy always had been the subject of considerable controversy. "The royal flying corps," he said, "is a military organization in England for military operations. The dastardly raids by the enemy on undefended towns and defenceless people should not be allowed to divert the energies of this fighting force from its primary military purpose."

IN POLICE COURT

The First Complaint For Leaving Auto With Engine Rnning

Charged with a violation of the automobile laws in that he went into a certain building on Gorham street and left the engine of his motor truck running for one hour, Charles Harrington appeared in the local court today. Through his attorney, D. J. Donahue, he pleaded not guilty and the case was continued until Oct. 30 for trial. While it is a violation of the ordinance to leave the engine of an automobile (throbber) on a public street, this is probably the first complaint of the kind ever brought in the local court.

After being given a suspended sentence of four months in jail when adjudged guilty of drunkenness last Saturday and receiving an opportunity to join the rank and file of the temperate, Patrick Fells voluntarily came before his Honor today and requested to be committed to jail. "I do not want to be on probation," he said. The suspension of the sentence was revoked and Patrick will spend the winter at the jail.

John T. Bishop of Lawrence was complained of for "panhandling" in the down-town streets yesterday afternoon. According to Traffic Officer Sheridan and Patrolman Joseph Conside, Bishop was doing a "wholesale" business. They testified that he stopped nearly a dozen men on Merrimack, John and Falge streets and solicited money. Defendant's excuse for approaching pedestrians was that he was inquiring the way to a machine

THE JEWS IN GERMANY

PROMOTED TO BE OFFICERS AND 4000 JEWISH SOLDIERS DECORATED

BERLIN, Oct. 20 (By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.).—Two hundred and eighty-six Jews in the German army have been promoted to be officers and 4000 Jewish soldiers have been decorated with iron crosses, 16 of them with the iron cross of the first class, according to an Overseas News agency announcement today.

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MRS. SPAULDING DEAD

MOTHER OF GOV. ROLLAND H. SPAULDING OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DIED AT BOSTON HOTEL

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Mrs. Jonas Spaulding, mother of Governor Rolland H. Spaulding of New Hampshire, who had made her home at the Hotel Brunswick during the past 10 years, died there early yesterday morning at the age of 79, after a year's illness.

At the time of her death Governor Spaulding, his brother H. N. Spaulding and their sister, Miss M. L. Spaulding, were at the bedside.

Mrs. Spaulding was born in Mason, N. H., and after attending the public schools there was graduated from the Salem normal school. For a number of years she taught school in Grafton and other Massachusetts towns. Following her marriage to Jonas Spaulding, then engaged in the manufacture of fibre, she went to live in Townsend, later moving to Andover where her husband died 15 years ago. All during that period she had been active in the religious and philanthropic life of the community.

Shortly after the death of her husband she came to Boston and has lived a retired life since that time. Her son, Governor Spaulding, L. C. Spaulding of Rochester, N. Y., and H. N. Spaulding of Rochester, N. H., and her daughter, Miss M. L. Spaulding, also of Rochester, have been associated in carrying on and extending the manufacturing business which was established by their father, with headquarters at Rochester, N. Y., and a factory at Tonawanda, N. Y.

The remains will be removed to Townsend where services will be held attended only by the immediate family. The internment will be in Townsend.

TO RETURN GIFT OF \$3500

Trustees of Trinity Church, Haverhill, Will Comply With Demand of Mrs. Charles C. Jackson

HAVERHILL, Oct. 20.—Because the parish sold a parcel of land at the corner of Main and Howard streets, upon which it was planned to build a new Trinity Episcopal church, Mrs. Charles C. Jackson of New York has demanded the return of \$3500 she donated and the parish trustees, upon the advice of Bishop William Lawrence, have voted to comply with her demand.

Mrs. Jackson is the mother of Mrs. William Osborne Baker, whose husband was formerly pastor of Trinity parish. During his ministry, when the new church site was selected, Mrs. Jackson gave \$2000 toward the purchase of the Brackett property on Main street. She gave \$1500 more afterward, but the plans didn't mature and several months ago the property was sold to Dr. Harry B. Perkins.

The trustees of the parish decided that Mrs. Jackson could not compel the

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Out of the vast volume of experience which they have to draw from, it is more than possible that they possess the very knowledge needed in your case. Nothing is asked in return except your good will, and their advice has helped thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, should be glad to take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. Address Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

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BIG INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

Extensive Show Planned by the Board of Trade at Kasino—Locations Available

Arrangements for the industrial show of Lowell made goods, which will be held at the Kasino in Thorndike street from Nov. 15 to 20 inclusive, are progressing rapidly and those in charge of the coming event, officials of the Lowell board of trade, are in hopes that it will be one of the most successful enterprises for a long time. The Kasino was selected for the show because of its airy facilities, for at the close of the exhibition each evening the side walls of the building can be removed and the place entirely ventilated. The large hall has been divided into sections which have been numbered from 1 to 61 and these spaces are being rented very rapidly.

The committee in charge of the event has sent out a letter to local manufacturers asking them to join in the exhibit in order to show the residents of Lowell what is being manufactured in their locality and already several have replied favorably.

Mr. Sawyer Treasurer

John F. Sawyer, cashier of the Union National bank, has been chosen treasurer for the industrial exhibition of Lowell made goods, which will be held at the Kasino in November.

The committee in charge of the coming event has sent the following letter to local manufacturers:

Dear Sir—The Lowell board of trade announces that it will conduct an exhibition of the manufactured products of Lowell at the Kasino in Thorndike street, beginning Monday, Nov. 15, and continuing for five days.

The purpose of the exhibit is to show the people of Lowell their actual products; thus arousing local interest and pride in the diversity of the local production.

The central idea of the exhibit is educational and not commercial. It is planned to make it an absolutely free show to the public.

The plan of the show is to have every article manufactured in Lowell represented by its manufacturer under his own name and exhibited in his own way.

The money collected from exhibitors will be used to pay the costs of the Kasino during 24 hours a day.

muscle by a large band on each evening. The establishment of the exhibition booths and the decorating as well as of the preliminary expenses incurred in printing and postage. It is not believed that on the plan outlined above there will be financial profit in the undertaking.

The exhibition has the endorsement of the directors of the Lowell board of trade by whom the power to manage it has been delegated to the executive committee. It is further endorsed by the largest and most important local industries through their managers who have been consulted as to the advisability of this undertaking.

Please read the appended blank and fill it out according to your own ideas and mail it at once to the Lowell board of trade in the return envelope provided.

Please remember that the time of preparation is short and that you can help most by a speedy response.

For further information and for answers to queries telephone the Lowell board of trade, 450. We seek to serve you to the best of our ability and to give Lowell something never before attempted here in showing the people what Lowell really amounts to.

Will you not please help?

Respectfully yours,

Robert F. Marden, President,

John H. Murphy, Secretary,

Clarence H. Nelson,

John A. Hunnewell,

Harry Dunlap,

Executive Committee.

FUNERALS

LAVERGNE—The funeral of Leo Laverigne, the boy who met a tragic death after drinking oil of vitriol yesterday morning, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Laverigne, 211 Salem street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Napoleon Biledeau.

SUPRY—The funeral of William H. Supry was held yesterday afternoon from his home, 17 Queen street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Paradis, pastor of the French M. E. church. Rev. Mr. Paradis and Mrs. Louise Menard sang appropriate selections.

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CUNHA—Nellie Cunha, aged 11 months, died Tuesday night at the home of her parents, Thomas and Rose Cunha, 12 Groves avenue. Funeral took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the home of the parents. Services were held at the grave, Rev. Joseph A. Aparicio officiating. Services were held at the grave, Rev. Joseph A. Aparicio officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers St. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

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DOYLE—The funeral of William Doyle will take place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his home, 71 Butterfield street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. J. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOYLE—The funeral of Catherine Boyle will take place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of her parents, John J. and Mary Boyle, 54 Whipple street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Higgins Bros.

NEWMAN—Died October 18th, at St. Joseph's hospital, Mrs. Katherine Newman. Funeral services will be held at the home of the family, 28 Huntington street Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

MOSTER'S MIND MASS

There will be a month's mind mass Saturday morning at the Sacred Heart church at 8 o'clock for Mrs. Bridget Hunt, requested by the Holy Rosary society.

DEATHS

BOYLE—Catherine Boyle, aged three years, 5 months and 20 days, died this morning at the home of her parents, John J. and Mary Boyle, 54 Whipple street. Besides her parents she leaves two sisters and one brother.

KIVELLE—Miss Mary Kivelle, aged 27 years, died Monday at the Western hospital. She leaves her parents and one sister, Helen Kivelle. Burial took place this afternoon in St. Patrick's cemetery, at the home of Undertakers St. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

DOWLING—William Dowling died yesterday morning at his home, 71 Butterfield street, aged 82 years. He leaves his wife, Mary J.; four daughters, Mrs. Daniel F. Berry and Anna, Catherine

BIG SALE

Ostroff at the Front Again

Merchandise from the purchaser of Wilson, Larrabee & Co. of Boston, who have recently retired from the wholesale business after conducting it for a score of years; also a large bankrupt stock which we have secured for a very low price at public auction in this city and whose name we do not wish to mention. These stocks will be put on Sale Friday, October 22nd, at 9.30 sharp and will continue until they are disposed of to your advantage.

SPACE DOES NOT PERMIT US TO GIVE YOU THE ITEMS

Do not miss this sale, it will be worth your while. Now is your chance to buy seasonable merchandise at very low prices. We do not hesitate to advise the public to be sure to do their winter's buying now whether they buy here or at any other store, as the price of all merchandise is going up every day on account of the war.

DO NOT FORGET THE PLACE AND THE DATE

Our store will be closed Today and Tomorrow, Oct. 20 and 21, to arrange these stocks for the big sale.

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CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

opinion as to the inspection of the soil pipes at the Memorial building," said the mayor, upon calling to order, and he called upon one of the architects on the job, F. W. Stickney.

Mr. Stickney said he thought \$600 was exorbitant and that he presumed Mr. Costello who bid that amount, thought so himself, but that he had to put in a bid to cover possibilities. "I do not think," said Mr. Stickney, "that it will be necessary to remove much of the old pipe—perhaps none of it."

"Do you think Mr. Costello, that you would have to take out the old pipe?" said Mr. Stickney.

Mr. Costello replied in the negative, but he said there were pipes that are already leaking. He said there is more work in getting ready for the test than in making it. He explained that all of the plumbing fixtures would have to be taken down. "He said that his bid of \$600 included the putting in of the new pipes, and the back of the old fixtures, some of which, he said, are cracked. His bid of \$800 included the replacing of the fixtures and the putting in of new fixtures if necessary."

Architect Graves said he did not think it necessary to test all of the old plumbing, but he believed a test of the greater portion of it was necessary, but if it is going to cost \$600 or \$800 he would cut out the test.

The Sewer Gas

Mr. Graves also referred to the sewer gas in the public library and substantiated Mr. Costello's statement of yesterday to the effect that Librarian Chase had complained about it. The mayor yesterday stated that Mr. Chase said he had not said anything about sewer gas, but Mr. Graves said that Mr. Chase did speak of sewer gas. Later, however, Mr. Graves said Mr. Chase might have used the term "foul odor" instead of "sewer gas."

Mr. Morse said there wasn't any chance for sewer gas to get into the library.

Mr. Costello said he did not lay particular stress on the sewer gas, that he presumed the question as to whether sewer gas could get into the Memorial building was debatable.

Mr. Stickney said that \$600 was nearly as much as was allowed for the putting in of the new pipes, and Mr. Costello said the old job might prove a very expensive one.

Mr. Costello reiterated what he said yesterday as to the proper way to make the test: that the best thing for the city would be to have him go ahead and do the job by the day, charging material and labor.

In reply to questions by Com. Morse, Inspector Connors of the board of health said he had inspected the fittings and soil pipes and found that the pipes had not been disturbed.

"Did you look on the third floor?" asked Mr. Costello.

"No, sir."

"Well, I will take you out and show you some."

"All right—I will go with you."

"You will admit that when the roof and floors fell in the pipes went with them?"

"I suppose they did," replied the inspector, and thus ended this line of argument.

Mr. Costello said that in order to proceed with his work it was necessary to connect the new work up with the old. He explained the connections.

Com. Putnam asked Mr. Graves why he had allowed the connections to be made, and Mr. Graves said he hadn't sanctioned it.

"You were supposed to be on the job and you ought not to have allowed him to make the connection before the new pipes were tested."

Mr. Graves said he had not permitted or accepted anything as yet.

Inspector Connors was asked what is customary in such matters, and he said it was customary not to make the last two joints until the new work was tested.

Mr. Costello said there never was any question in his mind but that the old pipes should be tested.

Mr. Stickney raised the point that inasmuch as the old and the new work were connected up it looked as if both would be tested together.

Mr. Costello said he was not seeking to get rich on the contract, that he would do the work by the day as cheaply as possible and the slither the expense the better he would like it.

"If you hadn't connected up the new work with the old," said the mayor, "it would have been none of your business about the testing of the old pipe."

"Oh yes it would," replied Mr. Costello and he referred the mayor to the specifications.

Mr. Carichal asked Mr. Stickney if it would be possible for Mr. Costello to complete his contract without having anything to do with the old work.

Mr. Stickney didn't think it would and Mr. Costello said it would be impossible.

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possible. He said if the old work was not tested it would be the first case of its kind in the city of Lowell.

The mayor wanted to know who paid for the test of the new work and Mr. Costello said he would have to pay for it as provided for his contract.

"Then by the connection you have made between the old and new and the city would pay for both tests?" queried the mayor.

"If you want to do it that way" replied Mr. Costello, "but I never dreamed of the city paying any question as to the ultimate testing of the old work, and I presumed, as contractor for the new work, that I would make the test."

In reply to Mr. Costello, Inspector Connors said he had never made any pipe tests for the city, that his work is inspecting and testing.

"How much would you charge a day to do the job by day work?" asked the mayor.

Mr. Costello said he would charge \$5 a day, the pay of two plumbers.

The mayor finally suggested that all plumbing work on the premises be stopped until all of the testing work is done and that it be done at \$5 a day.

Mr. Costello, however, called attention to the fact that it would be necessary for him to complete what he termed "rough work" before a general test could be made.

Then the mayor changed his suggestion to include the completion of the rough work and that Mr. Costello proceed to the testing of the old work at \$5 a day.

An informal vote was taken favoring this proposition and all hands went across to the Memorial building to look things over.

The arrangements carried out, according to the mayor's suggestion, will provide for all the bosses that are necessary. The bosses will include the architects, Inspector Connors of the board of health and Inspector Connors of the buildings department. Mr. Costello's original suggestion that the testing of the old work be done by the day, was therefore finally adopted.

WHY CARSON RESIGNED

SAYS ACTION DUE TO DIVERGENCE OF VIEWS IN REGARD TO NEAR EASTERN AFFAIRS

LONDON, Oct. 20.—3.30 p. m.—Sir Edward Carson announced in the house of commons today that his resignation from the attorney generalship was due to divergence of views in regard to near eastern affairs.

MATRIMONIAL

Malcolm E. Bickford and Miss Olive M. Palm were married last evening, the ceremony being performed at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride, 1101 Vermont avenue, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Arthur C. Archibald, pastor of the First Baptist church. The best man was Henry Palm, while the bridesmaid was Miss Carrie Emery. After a short wedding trip the happy couple will make their home at 133 Mammoth road.

NASHUA STRIKE

Continued

the mob of Poles and Greeks approached. When the mob reached the Greeks, they stopped and it is understood a racial dispute led to the shooting. Immediately after the widest excitement passed and for a time it looked as though a life fight was about to take place, but the police soon quieted things down. Late last night the police arrested Adam Sharple on a charge of murder and he was held without bail by the court.

The Greeks, it is alleged, were assaulted by the strikers, who are mainly suffering from lack of food, for not joining the body on strike.

At the hospital it was learned that the men were injured with knife wounds rather than bullets from the automatic. Stradlin was stabbed in the neck. The name of the other man is Costas Diawelo.

Greeks Aroused

The injury to two of their countrymen put the Greek population of the city in a very dangerous mood and from six o'clock last night up until 8 o'clock a crowd of more than 1500 men, which is being used as strike headquarters, and prevented the Poles from attending a strikers' meeting. The news of their presence spread rapidly in the Polish quarters and a movement was started by the Poles, it is said, to hold their meeting at once.

Trouble, at any rate, was averted by the intervention of the police, the leading men in the Greek community who keeps a store directly under the strike headquarters. Mr. Diamantopoulos was on his way back to work after supper when he saw the big gathering of his countrymen standing in front of the Greek hall. After learning the cause of the crowd, he made a lengthy speech in which he cautioned them to be peaceful and leave the outbreaks against their fellow countrymen in the hands of the law. His speech had its effect and the Greeks went upstairs into their hall, where they were again addressed by prominent leaders. After the adjournment of their session the Polish workers were allowed to hold their meeting and there was no disturbance of any kind.

The melee which occurred in the afternoon resulted in the refusal of the Greeks, it is said, to join the strike movement. None of the Greeks are on

strike and but few of the French speaking people, although all are out of work owing to the big manufacturing establishments being closed.

Striple Arraigned

Former Mayor William H. Barry appeared for Adam Sharple, who is charged with the murder of James Stradlin in the Nashua police court this morning before Judge Clancy. Sharple pleaded not guilty to the complaint and he was held without bail. Counsel Barry said he did not know whether Sharple was a striker or not, but that he would continue to appear for him until this information could be gained.

Stradlin Leaves Family

James Stradlin, the dead man, was 28 years old, and resided with his wife and two children at 47-1-2 Ash street. He had been employed as a yard-hand at the Jackson Manufacturing company, for the past five years under Foreman Edward L. Farar and was a quiet and well conducted workman.

No Shipments

No attempt was made this morning to move any freight from either the Nashua Manufacturing company, or the Jackson Manufacturing Co., and no further outbreak was reported.

Adjutant General's Position

Adjutant-General Charles Howard was reached by telephone at the state armory and in reply to a request for a statement regarding the use of troops in the rioting on Monday, he replied that he had nothing whatever to say, except that the troops are called out to preserve the peace and are doing their duty.

Absolutely no definite statement was given last night by either militia officers, Mayor Crowley, the police department or counsel for the strikers as to the identity of the officer who fired the shot that struck a striker named Basavitch. At the hospital last night it was learned that Basavitch was still in a serious condition, and his name had not been removed from the danger list. In Nashua it is reported that the shooting of the striker was done by Lieut. Gravelle, of one of the Nashua companies, but the claim is made that it is justified in face of the attempt of the strikers to prevent all work at the factory.

List of Injured

The following persons are at their homes suffering from Monday's riot: Telko Pakula, 7-1-2 School street, wounded in leg and nose.

Adam Klutwicz, 7-1-2 School street, stab in left side of neck.

Leon Yoneska, 47 High street, shot in right arm.

Zymont Tarenak, 27 High street, scalp wound.

Stanley Wayland, 4 Harrison street, injured in neck.

Lugan Hanchwicz, 41 High street, stabbed in right arm.

The following nine persons have been treated at St. Joseph's hospital for various wounds:

Adam Petroluska, 40 Franklin st.

Adam Basavitch, 24 High street.

Alexandra Belak, 25 High street.

John Valantutik, 52 High street.

William Walick, 9 Pearson avenue.

Frank Slavak, 34 Canal street.

Annie Kallen, 42 Second avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Venich, 6 School street.

Lewis Koutrovich, 4 William court.

Stavak and Koutrovich have been discharged from the hospital. The above list does not include the names of those wounded last evening.

The following are the names of persons arrested during the rioting, all suffering from more or less from wounds inflicted by the bayonets of the militia men and the clubs of the police.

Frances Kalkavitch, Sophia Morvita, Adam Petivski, John Belopka, Martin Kaspar and John Kawarski.

Petivski is accused of striking Officer Dean with a club, the only policeman who was injured in Monday's riot.

Two soldiers who have been injured were treated at the military hospital in the mill. A private of one of the militia companies, Albert Gagne, is at St. Joseph's hospital.

Agent Milliken's Statement

Relative to the serious outbreak which occurred at the Pine street crossing on Monday, Agent Roscoe S. Milliken has given out the following statement to the press: "I regret exceedingly the unfortunate affair; I cannot understand its occurrence, in view of the assurance given me at our interview by Mr. Barry and the strike committee, that matters should remain just as they were, pending this investigation I am making, and it was understood that we were then shipping goods. The policy of this company always has been to treat its operatives with perfect fairness, especially in relation to their wages and the conditions under which they perform their labor. This is the first serious disturbance the company has had with its employees in the last 25 years. We have always, I believe, paid our operatives as much for the same service as the other mills in New England, and during the 15 years I have been agent of the Nashua Mfg. Co. there has never been a decrease in wages; on the contrary, there have been three straight increases of five per cent. each, and on two occasions the number of hours was decreased while the wages remained the same."

"If at any time the other mills of like character in New England ad-

vance their wages, we shall do the same. But the granting of such an increase must always be decided by business conditions."

"Just as soon as I can complete my investigation which was interrupted by the unfortunate occurrence of Monday, I will send a reply to Mr. Barry and the strike committee."

Strike Developments

The Nashua strike started in the dyehouse of the Nashua Mfg. Co. Monday, Oct. 4, when about 100 Polish and Lithuanian employees asked their foreman for an increase of 15 per cent. in wages in the working schedule.

The next day the strike spread to other departments of the mill and resulted in an order for a complete shutdown issued in the afternoon by Agent Roscoe S. Milliken.

Wednesday morning of the same week, saw the first serious clash between the strikers and police, in which nearly every officer who had been assigned to duty was more or less injured, four of them badly.

Two arrests were made, but the cases have been continued daily.

On Wednesday night, acting under the authority of Gov. Spaulding, two Nashua companies of militia were mobilized at the state armory and were later marched to the mill property, where they have since been on guard, held in reserve.

The following day, counsel for the strikers announced that he had been notified that the mill officials would meet him in conference to listen to the demands of the striking employees. This conference was held at 10 o'clock last Saturday morning, when the mill officials took a written digest of the strikers' demands, which were for a 15 per cent. increase in wages and a change in working conditions.

Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, parties of strikers and several sympathizers held up, intimidated and assaulted persons going to the mill with provisions for soldiers.

Shortly before noon on Monday, an attempt on the part of the Nashua Mfg. Co. to ship goods was met on the part of the strikers, many of them women, who sat on the railroad tracks with babies in their arms. The police, being unable to move the crowd, the militia was called out and the most serious riot of the strike resulted.

Late yesterday afternoon, another outbreak at the corner of Canal and Tolle streets resulted in two men being rushed to St. Joseph's hospital with long stab wounds. Both men are in a serious condition.

Mayor Crowley, in reply to Counsel Barry's letter asking him to use his influence with the company to stop shipping goods, stated that the matter is beyond his jurisdiction.

Mills Brilliantly Lighted

At night the yard of the Nashua Manufacturing Co. resembles a great wonderland, so brilliantly is it lighted. Huge arc lights, patterned after the lights used in intervals all over the yard, while a strong searchlight on top of one of the buildings throws its rays to every dark corner of the streets in the vicinity of the yard.

About every 50 yards a militiaman is stationed with a bayonet on top of his gun. Militiamen are stationed inside the mill-yard and do not come out unless provisions are to be brought in.

The soldiers' life is no easy lot and the men inside the mill yard have not seen their homes for two weeks. If they want food or clothing they have to send for them. And whoever delivers such to them at the mill runs a great risk of being assaulted.

Will Join A. F. of L.

Yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the strikers it was decided to form an organization affiliated with the American Federation of Labor and an organizer from Fall River is expected to take charge of the strike tomorrow.

Last week Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of this city spent considerable time among the strikers counseling them against violence and advising in its stead thorough organization. It is probable that he will return to Nashua after the adjournment of the United Textile Workers convention which is being held in New York.

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CHARLEY WHITE WINS SEVERAL GOOD GAMES

OUTPOINTED JOHNNY HARVEY OF NEW YORK IN FAST 12-ROUND BOUT

Charley White of Chicago outpointed Johnny Harvey of New York, at the A. A. of Boston, last night, in the main bout of twelve rounds.

Harvey surprised the boxing fans by giving the hard hitting lightweight from the Windy City a very stiff argument for seven rounds, or until he tired. Then White went to the front and held the lead to the finish.

Harvey did not seem to mind the walling White handed out until the last of the eighth round. In this session White started to hit the New Yorker more frequently and at the close of the round had Harvey hanging on the ropes, the bell coming to his rescue and saving him from a kayo punch.

The ninth was also a disastrous one for the Gothamite. Harvey received a lot of punishment in this frame. White staggered him with punches to the head and body, but Johnny gamely stuck to his task and succeeded in weathering the onslaught of punches.

Harvey came back in the next round, the tenth, but not quite enough. White kept tearing in trying to land the finishing blow. Harvey, who was pretty weak, decided to just try and stay the limit and was content to allow White to do the fighting, merely blocking and holding over an occasional left jab to his opponent's face, which sent White's head back when it connected.

Quite a few of the fans howled for a draw, but Referee Charley White of New York was justified in awarding the verdict to his namesake from Chicago. Harvey made a fine impression on the Boston sports and would draw a good house should he come again.

The weights were announced, White weighing in under the limit, 135 pounds at three o'clock, while Harvey tipped the beam at 132 1/2 at three o'clock and White said he only weighed 137 at eight o'clock would make the weight question, but at eight o'clock Harvey weighed 140. White then announced he would box rather than disappoint the crowd of 2500 which turned out to see the mill.

George Alder defeated Walter Butler in the semi-windup of eight rounds. Alder's ring generalship proved too big an obstacle for the Revere boy to hurdle and he lost the decision. In the curtain raiser, Kid Thomas of Lawrence defeated Young Cooper of Providence and in the other preliminary, Mike Crowley, the ex-ammateur champ, gave another wonderful exhibition of boxing, beating Gus Murphy in a six-rounder.

Ringside Gleanings

Larry Burns challenged the winner of the big bout and received a good hand from the fans. Larry is popular at Boston. Burns has again deserted Jack Wagner and Joe McCarthy of South Boston is now handling the affairs of the North Andover boy. Larry has bouts in prospect at Lawrence and New Bedford.

Babe Christo of this city will meet Al Nelson of Manchester in the semi-final bout at Jim Crilly's Lawrence club a week from tomorrow. Christo will start training at once for he realizes that a win over Nelson will land him some good bouts this winter.

Joe Mandol will try his skill against that wonderful English boxer Ted ("Kid") Lewis at the next show of the Atlas A. A. on next Tuesday evening. Mandol beat Young Saylor at Boston last year and the directors of the club picked him as the one man to hold the Briton in check. We doubt very much if he can do it.

Phiney Boyle, the local fighter, has a hard row to hoe tomorrow evening at Lawrence when he tackles Harry Carlson of Brockton. The Brockton sports claim that their man will whip Boyle as decisively as he did Jaboz Canto, whom he stopped in two rounds Monday night. They also claim that they will beat Carlson to the limit. Carlson is a great performer, fast, very shifty and can punch like a middleweight and if he doesn't beat Phiney he will be a much disappointed boxer. Boyle is also going great guns, beating Young Chakas in five rounds a week ago Tuesday.

Shubert will probably fight Jack ("Kid") Wolfe at the next show following the Boyle-Carlson battle. Wolfe has always given Shubert a good run for high honors and says that he will not box the Whaling City boy this time, but fight him. If this happens, the members are in for a fine line of battling.

CUBS' MANAGER MIXED UP

Roger Bresnahan, Accused of Responsibility in Crash Driving an Auto, Goes to the Wrong Court

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Injuries suffered by Roger Bresnahan, manager of the Chicago Nationals, in an automobile accident Monday night, were given a hearing for his failure to appear in court here yesterday to answer charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated and of assault with an automobile.

The charges were preferred by Richard P. Smiddy, a contractor, who, with his wife, suffered injuries also said to be serious enough to keep them out of court.

Smiddy charged that a buggy in which they were riding was struck by a motor car driven by the Cubs manager.

Pres. Thomas of the Chicago Nationals appeared in Bresnahan's place and told the court that the manager's injuries would prevent him attending to his duties as president of the club for Nov. 1 in the municipal court.

Later Judge Sabath in the municipal court said that Bresnahan had gone to another court by mistake when the case was called, and that he later appeared before him and asked for an early trial so that he might return to his Toledo home.

STOP POST SEASON TOURS

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—The post season tour of picked teams of the American and National leagues which opened today at Oshkosh, Wis., will be the last in which American league players will be allowed to take part.

President B. B. Johnson of the American league, in making this announcement today said that the players gathered together to represent the American organization were a "joke team" and that the practice of continuing baseball half through the winter is an injury to the sport and to the players themselves.

"The only way to increase the public's interest in baseball," President Johnson said, "is to reduce the quantity and improve the quality."

The club owners, although opposed to their players making post-season tours, preferred to give a reluctant consent rather than make an individual stand against it, Mr. Johnson said.

Consequently the national commission will draft legislation to forestall plans for future post-season tours.

TO DISPOSE OF THE CHICAGO CUBS TO CHAS. WEGMANN OF THE CHICAGO FEDERAL CLUB

But my colleagues are quite positive in their sentiments. They will not harbor in their ranks any of the opposition which, willy or not, has done much to discredit the game.

That conference in Philadelphia, which had been interpreted at first as the first step toward a peace movement, was arranged by a certain element of the National league which favors a speedy ending of the baseball war. On excellent authority it has been learned that the peace propaganda was launched through fraternal influences. Many of the leading powers of both organized and independent baseball are brother Eiks of high standing. President John K. Tener of the National league, Chairman August Herrmann of the National commission and Pat Powers of the Newark Federals are all past grand exalted rulers of the B.P.O.E.

Herrmann from the first has favored a dignified peace. It was he who tried to engineer the deal that might have given the Cubs to Wegmann. Herrmann has won over to his ways of thinking quite a National league following. William F. Baker and James E. Gaffney, who are both in the idea of merger, it is said. Gaffney, it will be remembered, took the trouble to show the Federal general staff his new park before it was opened formally. According to the board of strategy of the Gilmoreing Gaffney is to receive a conference in the near future in connection with the proposed new Federal league plan in New York.

Another faction of the National league is as strongly opposed to all idea of compromise. This is headed by Charles H. Ebbetts, Barney Dreyfuss and Hal T. Huggins.

"I would dynamite Forbes field and get out of the game before I would sell my Pittsburgh interests to any Federal league promoter," says Barney Dreyfuss. Ebbetts is every bit as emphatic in the expression of his loyalty to the organization.

Therefore, if peace ensues in the near future, it is quite likely to result from that portion of the National league club owners whose sympathies have been reached through fraternal channels. At most there are no more than four great financial powers holding the reins of the baseball world—the Ebbetts, Harry Sinclair, Ed Gwinn and the St. Louis interests of St. Louis. These might be accommodated with National league franchises. Gossip has it that Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis clubs are on the market. Further it is intimated that James E. Gaffney would consent to dispose of a half interest in the Braves.

A merger between the National and Federal leagues by allowing the financial operators of the latter to become interested operators of the former seems just the way to solve the problem. According to the baseball war, Dan Johnson is still the dominating power of the American league, and Dan Johnson in his heart of hearts believes he has the independents whipped. He will head none from his antagonistic attitude. But he will not oppose a merger of the National and Federal interests. For in that case the rival National league would have to shoulder all the responsibilities and inconveniences of reconstruction.

Circuit changes in the International league are contemplated which should equalize the playing field. In connection with another stout fight through 1916. From an authoritative source it has been learned that the Harrow enterprise intends to drop Harrisburg, Pa., and Richmond, Va., from its membership. According to present plans, Harrisburg will be substituted to maintain an eight-club organization. Springfield and Hartford would give a much better territorial balance on account of Montreal's location.

The fans of Tacoma, Wash., have organized a hot new association known as the American Night league. Periodic smokers are held at which the members impersonate the prominent characters of the circuit of which the Red Sox are champions.

A program of the inaugural annual banquet was received by Bill Donovan, the late manager impersonated by Dan Johnson, Billy Evans, Clarence Rowland, Clark Griffith, Bill Carrigan, Hugh Jennings, Donovan, Rickey, Kohl and others.

Secretary John B. Foster of the Giants denied emphatically a story sent out from Chicago to the effect that Larry Doyle would figure in a trade for Jimmie Zimmerman.

"That is the old yearly pipe," said John. "The clubs never have broached a trade of any kind."

MORAN BEATS COFFEY

DUBLIN GIANT PUT AWAY IN THIRD ROUND—WINNER EARNS RIGHT TO FIGHT WILLARD

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Frank Moran of Pittsburgh technically knocked out Jim Coffey, the Dublin giant, in the third round of their scheduled 10 round fight at Madison square garden last night. The round had gone one minute and as second round flashed out a desperate right hand swing which caught Coffey flush on the jaw.

His mouth flew open, his eyes assumed a glassy glare and he dropped helplessly to the floor. After a desperate struggle with him—if he regained consciousness he would have been staggered toward the ropes, which he seized to keep himself upright.

The referee sprang to his assistance, but he was not quick enough for Moran, who was following closely on his heels, crashed over another right swing to Coffey's face.

The Dublin giant stiffened as one suddenly receiving an electric shock, and stood frozen against the ropes while Bill Moran, the referee, mentioned Moran to his corner. Brown then proceeded to escort the dazed Coffey to his corner, Moran meanwhile dancing about in a frantic form of dancing or wallow at his victim. However, the fight was over.

Billy Gwynn, manager of Coffey, was desperately wrought up over the sudden termination of the bout. He declared that his man had not yet before the count of 10 had been felled off and was not aware of how low down he was.

He said that the Dublin giant was on his feet when the fight was officially terminated and must still have been able to redeem himself.

While he may be technically correct, it was patent to all present that Coffey had been about as much as he could be. He was weighed in with the right, and the Irishman never owed his victory to his size or race, for as a rule, Coffey was the aggressor at the beginning of the bout, but Moran, conserving his strength, waited for the opportune moment.

The first round began with Coffey rushing at Moran in a right line, but he was stopped by the referee and a hand left to his stomach. Moran struck few effective blows in this round.

Coffey's long reach kept Moran away at the beginning of the second round.

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GERMANS BREAK LEAVE
THREE OFFICERS OF INTERNEED CRUISER EITEL MISSING—POLICE ORDERED TO ARREST THEM
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Breaking of leave by three officers of the crew of the interned German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich was reported by the navy department yesterday by Rear Admiral Beatty, commander of the Norfolk navy yard. The officers, Lieut. Koch and Mrs. Kruger and Kroenke, were due back aboard their ship Sunday, and when they failed to appear the officer's captain notified Admiral Beatty.

The chief of police of Norfolk and nearby cities have been asked to arrest the missing men. All three are said to have been seen in Newport News Sunday.

These officers were granted shore liberty before the issuance of an order last week that all members of the crews of both the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and Kronprinz Wilhelm should be kept aboard the ships at the navy yard until the absence of six sailors from the latter vessel was accounted for.

The sailors obtained leave for a sail on a power boat they had purchased and are believed now to be making their way down the Atlantic coast.

TO NOTIFY GERMANY
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Germany's intention probably will be called officially to the two commissions of officers and six warrant officers of the interned German commerce raiders at the Norfolk navy yard who have broken parole. Acting Secretary Roosevelt of the navy will discuss with Secretary Lansing today what steps to be taken.

No trace has been found of Lieut. Koch and Dr. Kruger, Koenek of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, who have overstayed their leave from the ship for four days. They were seen in Newport News and Norfolk last Sunday, but officials have been unable to find any trace of them since. Neither has the yacht Eitel, on which six warrant officers from the Kronprinz Wilhelm put to sea, been found. It has been currently reported in Norfolk that the men on the Eitel were taken on a wharf steamer outside the capes and that the yacht was sunk.

Whether the German department may decide upon no more of the German sailors will have an opportunity to escape. The crews of both ships now are strictly confined to their vessels, and, if necessary will be transferred to guarded buildings ashore.

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41ST BIENNIAL SESSION
NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES OPENS AT NEW HAVEN
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 20.—The national council of Congregational churches here this afternoon with Charles R. Brown, head of the Yale school of religion and moderator of the council, presiding.

The first session of the council this afternoon will receive reports of officers and committees but will delay discussion of the state of the world rising it will probably elect officers.

The committee on international council in its report gave the opinion that 1915 is too early for the council to meet, and recommended 1920, which is the ter-centenary of the landing of the Pilgrims.

The temperance commission in its report said that the temperance cause had on seven league boots, adding "in the past two years it has made rapid forward strides."

"God hath made the wrath of men to praise him," the motto of Europe's military leaders appears to be "Trust in God and Keep Your Army Dry."

The church building society reported financial prosperity with biennium receipts of \$200,350, or \$25,638 more than for the preceding period. Churches and parsonages erected cost \$50,715.

The committee on evangelism reported that additions to churches on confession of faith were 6300 more in 1914 than the average of previous years.

PAYS \$53,500.22

MEK. Marie A. Evans' Tax Bill Largest in Second—Shoe Machinery Company Heavily With \$27,510

BEVERLY, Oct. 20.—Mrs. Marie A. Evans, widow of Robert D. Evans of Dawson Hall, Hospital Point, is the largest taxpayer in the city. She pays \$53,500.22, the total more than 10 per cent. of the total amount raised by the tax levy of the city.

The United Shoe Machinery company pays the largest corporation tax, its bill for 1914 being \$27,510. The Beverly Gas and Electric company is a close second, paying \$19,532.14.

Quincy A. Shaw, treasurer of the city, said that the city's tax revenue for 1914 was \$1,000,000, or \$100,000 more than for the preceding year.

Margaret Haley, business agent of the Teachers' Federation of America, has been chosen a member of the legislative committee of the Chicago Federation of Labor. Her vote was the largest of anyone who was opposed to election.

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AT LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
DR. JOHN HENRY MACCRACKEN
INAUGURATED AS PRESIDENT OF LAFAYETTE COLLEGE
EASTON, Pa., Oct. 20.—In the presence of many notables in the educational, social and business world, Dr. John Henry MacCracken was today inaugurated as the ninth president of Lafayette college. Israel E. Jardee, of Hazleton, Pa., president of the board of trustees of Lafayette, presided at the exercises and besides Dr. MacCracken's inaugural address Judge Elmer H. Gary of New York city also spoke.

Among the honorary degrees conferred were the following:
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CITY HALL NEWS

Removal of Turrets and Wall at the Memorial Building

After the municipal council had disposed of the Memorial building, the attention of the council was turned to the removal of the turrets and wall on the Colburn street side of the Memorial building. It will be remembered that Matthias Connor, who has the brick contract on the building, was allowed \$300 for the removal of the turrets and wall and the council, later, rescinded its action. In reply to a question as to whether or not \$300 was a reasonable price for the removal of the turrets and wall, Architect Stickney gave his opinion that the price was very reasonable, that it would be necessary to use a derrick and that the work would be quite expensive. That settled it. Mr. Putnam was told to allow Mr. Connor to go ahead with the work. It was stated at the meeting of the council yesterday that Mr. Connor had already completed at least half of the work of removing the turrets and wall, but that was a misstatement.

Commissioner Morse says that if the municipal council will give him \$1000 he will replace Pawtucket bridge. "If I had \$1000 to spare I would fix the bridge," he said, "but my street maintenance appropriation will not stand for it. I'm afraid a team will go through there some day."

Building Permits
Patrick Farrell has been granted a permit for the erection of a dwelling at 75 Upham street. The building will be 25 by 30 feet, 6 rooms, pantry, bath and reception hall, 2 1-2 stories, and the estimated cost is \$3000.
A building permit has been granted Harry W. Kirtland for the erection of a garage, 12 by 13 feet, 1 story, at Jenness street.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

PROBABLE ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICERS AS RESULT OF RECENT EXAMINATION

The result of the examination in which eligible members of the Lowell High school regiment competed for officers' positions has been made known and while the official list of the officers has not yet been made public by the school faculty the candidates, themselves, are aware of the successful ones. Yesterday the examination papers were returned for examination so that the boys could protest, any mark that they desired. By comparing the marks on the papers the highest eight have been ascertained. The probable assignment of officers will be as follows: Colonel, Herbert Kerrigan, lieutenant, colonel, Raymond Bourgeois, first major, Walter L'Esperance; second major, Edward Sullivan; third major, Fred Thomas; regimental adjutant, Reginald B. Nichols; quartermaster, William L. Barlofsky; senior captain, Alfred Fletcher. The successful candidates for minor officers have not yet been ascertained.

SOLOMON D. ATWOOD DEAD

NEW BOSTON, N. H., Oct. 20.—Solomon D. Atwood, one of the most prominent residents of Southern New Hampshire, died at his home here at the age of 76.
Mr. Atwood was born in Hillsboro, being the child of Rev. John Atwood, who was for many years pastor of the Baptist church in New Boston. In February, 1876, he married Florence Adelaide Dodge of Frances-town. Ten children were born to them, six of whom, with their mother, survive.
Mr. Atwood was appointed postmaster in the administration of Abraham Lincoln and resigned last spring. He was postmaster all those years except during the Cleveland administration. He kept a general merchandise store.

ADOPTED HUSBAND'S NURSE

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—The infatuation of 76-year-old Mrs. Mary Jane Cooke of Cambridge for her late husband's 27-year-old male nurse led her to remark that she would have to marry or adopt him, but that he preferred adoption, according to testimony brought out in the suit of the nurse, Thelma S. Cooke, in the supreme judicial court at East Cambridge yesterday.
Cooke, whose name was Pedersen originally, is fighting the revocation of a decision allowing his adoption, and now has a suit pending against Thomas J. Emery of Cambridge, executor of Mrs. Cooke's estate, for \$30,000.
Mrs. Cooke, who died in 1912, was the widow of the Rev. Henry A. Cooke, and according to one of the witnesses testified that she never knew what love was until Pedersen came into her life.

MERCANTILE BOWLING LEAGUE

The Mercantile Bowling league will start its season Thursday evening at 8 o'clock on Kittredge's alleys. Great interest has been taken in this league and some very fine exhibitions of bowling are expected. Games will be played every Thursday evening, four teams on first floor and four on the second.
The officers of the league are Morton Walker, president; Peter J. Corcoran, secretary; Mr. Hebert, treasurer. Prize committee: Mr. Sully, Mr. O'Loughran, Mr. Moore.

DOCTOR NOT UNDERTAKER

JUDGE MORTON'S ADVICE WHEN BUSINESS GETS SICK—SAYS THAT FAILURES ARE NEEDLESS

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—"When a man's business gets sick send for a doctor, not an undertaker," said Judge James M. Morton Jr., of the United States district court last evening at the monthly dinner of the Boston Credit Men's association at Young's hotel, where he was a guest.

Judge Morton was appealing for more of the spirit of cooperation and less of competition among business men, declaring that many men in financial difficulty could be saved from bankruptcy if more efficient methods of settlement were adopted.
He said among other things that most failures are not due to ineradicable defects in the business, but to perhaps only one instance of bad judgment that might have been corrected without ruining the business. He believed that modern business men ought to be tolerant and save a man from bankruptcy.

To that end he advised that the credit men, or some other business organization, provide an expert to investigate every business that gets into financial trouble, try to ascertain just what is the seat of the trouble, whether a mistaken judgment in buying or an equally simple reason, and then try to keep the proprietor out of the bankruptcy court by giving him advice calculated to help him build up his business.

"Help out the fellow before he fails," said the judge. "To close out a business often means closing out the result of a great deal of labor and ability that have been put into it."
If a business must be closed out, he said, an expert should be obtained for trustee, and he should be paid a fair price for his service. He cited an instance, which he declared typical, of many others, in which at one stage of affairs the stock could have been sold for \$2500, yet later a young lawyer, who worked on commission, was able to get only \$1500 for it. Want of an expert to settle a case like that is responsible for a great deal of loss to creditors, he declared.

O.M.I. CADETS MEETING

IMPORTANT BUSINESS TO BE DISCUSSED AT SCHOOL HALL TONIGHT

An important meeting of the O.M.I. Cadets will be held in their armory, the Immaculate Conception school hall, at 715 O'clock tonight. Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I. chaplain, will address the young soldiers and assist them in making plans for the winter season. On Oct. 31, a memorial mass will be celebrated for the deceased members of the organization and all the cadets will attend in full dress. The matter of making Wednesday the regular drill night will be taken up tonight, along with several other matters, and Fr. Sullivan is anxious to have all members present.

AGRICULTURISTS' ASTONISHED

LONDON, October.—Jack's celebrated beanstalk is likely to be rivaled by Prof. W. B. Bottomley, who has astonished agriculturists here with plants grown in peat treated with bacteria. He believes that the same process can be applied to wheat growing as well.
Prof. Bottomley of King's college in the Strand, has been conducting his experiments on the roof of his college building in the very heart of London. The method by which he doubles and trebles the size of plants and their fruit was the result of a long list of experiments. He started inoculating the soil with a culture of bacteria obtained from the root of leguminous plants. Soil so treated, it was found, greatly increased the nitrogenous matter in the earth and produced more nodules on the roots. Peat was found to be the best medium for the bacteria.

From 18 plants fed on the bacterialized peat, Prof. Bottomley cut 72 cucumbers weighing a pound each after a 20 days' growth. Sixteen pounds of tomatoes were taken from one vine.
"There are thousands of acres of peat in Ireland which could by bacterial treatment be converted into a rich manure and at least double the productivity of the soil," said the professor. "Incidentally, it would give Ireland a new industry, for its practical inexhaustible supplies of peat would provide all that is required for the rest of the United Kingdom."
The government has made a grant for continuing the experiments.

LAKE MOHONK CONFERENCE

MOHONK LAKE, Oct. 20.—The 33d Lake Mohonk conference on the Indian and other dependent peoples, opened today. Samuel A. Eliot of Boston, member of the United States board of Indian commissioners, presided. O. H. Lipps, superintendent of the Carlisle Indian school, spoke of the difficulty in making the Indians stick to their farm work.

Other speakers today were Frederick A. Cleveland, director of the New York bureau of municipal research; Arthur C. Parker, New York state archaeologist and secretary of the Society of American Indians; Robert G. Valentine, former commissioner of Indian affairs; J. Weston Allen of Boston, member of the Boston Indian citizenship committee and Jewell D. Martin, supervisor of the United States Indian service in charge of the Fort Belknap agency at Harlem.

DESCRIBES SUFFERING

LETTER TELLS OF EXPERIENCES OF ARMENIAN REFUGEES WHO FLED FROM VAN

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—The suffering of Armenian refugees who left the city of Van, Asiatic Turkey, after its evacuation by the Russians, is described in a letter received here by Miss Koharig Bedrosian, an Armenian girl, and made public today by Miss Alice Stone Blackwell. The letter, written by a teacher at Van, stated that the entire population left the city, mostly women and children, and that they were in the mad rush to find shelter and protection.

"My sister-in-law, my wife and I, with babies in our arms," the teacher wrote, "and my son and daughter, nine and 12 years of age respectively, walked for 12 days. Frequently we were unable to obtain food. We slept in the open until we finally reached a hospital at Echmiadzin, although we could not remain there because of its crowded condition. Thousands of children were separated from their parents, many of whom died of starvation. Many Armenians are living out of doors and their condition is pitiful."

The letter stated that more than 100,000 Armenians had escaped into Russia from Turkey and Persia.

52 KILLED; 100 INJURED

EXPLOSION IN FACTORY IN THE RUE DE TOBIAC, SAYS PARIS—BUILDING WRECKED

PARIS, Oct. 20, 4:55 p. m.—Fifty-two persons are reported to have been killed in an explosion this afternoon in a factory in the Rue de Tobiac, while 100 or more were injured.

Many of the victims were women workers in the factory, which was wrecked, as were buildings in the vicinity.
President Poincare and Minister of the Interior Malvy, who were immediately informed of the disaster, visited the scene and gave directions to the rescuing forces.

BLIND SOLDIERS AS DIVERS

LONDON, Oct.—Deep-water diving is one of the trades for which blinded soldiers may fit themselves, writes C. Arthur Pearson, chairman of the blinded soldiers and sailors' care committee. He says:

"Diving is, I think, a quite new occupation for blind people. The diver who is building breakwaters and pier works in the dark, for even if the water is clear his work disturbs it and renders it impossible for him to see anything through it. The diver is one of the best paid workmen. He has an attendant to look after him while below and when he returns to the surface, and the occupation is one which I think will prove to be very suitably for intelligent blind soldiers and sailors who have had some mechanical training."

MATRIMONIAL

John J. Manning and Miss Etta Cox were married Monday afternoon at St. Michael's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Henry Tattan. The bride wore white messaline and carried roses. She was attended by Miss Marion C. Cox, who wore white crepe de chine and carried carnation pinks. The best man was James W. Manning. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride in Ennall street. Dinner was served and a musical program was enjoyed. The happy couple left in the evening for a wedding tour to Washington, D. C. Upon their return they will make their home in Ennall street.

BERGERON-BOUCHER

A pretty marriage took place this morning at St. Louis' church, when Edward J. Bergeron, the well known co-proprietor of the New System laundry, and Miss Maria G. Boucher, a charming young resident of West Cambridge, were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at 9 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere. The bride was becomingly attired in white satin trimmed with duchess lace and pearls. Her veil was caught with lilies of the valley and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. She was attended by her brother, George H. Boucher, while the bridegroom's witness was also his brother, Albert Bergeron. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Arthur Gaudette, 125 Dalton street, which had been handsomely decorated with palms, autumn leaves and yellow chrysanthemums. A family dinner was served, this being followed by a brief reception. Mr. and Mrs. Bergeron, who were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts, including cut glass, silverware, china and furniture, left on the noon train for New York, Philadelphia and Washington. After Dec. 1, they will be at home to their friends at 120 Mt. Washington street. No cards.

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LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Why Carson Quit Cabinet

The resignation of Sir Edward Carson from the attorney generalship in the British cabinet was due to a divergence of views with regard to near eastern affairs, he announced in the house of commons today.

Turks Join Bulgars

Turkish forces are to cooperate with the Bulgarians in opposing the allied operations in the Balkans. Athens advises state. Turkish troops, it is reported, are being concentrated near Deagachach on the Aegean sea. The landing of an allied force at Enos, near Deagachach, was reported recently.

Bulgars on Humanitarian Front

Bulgarians troops are being concentrated on the frontiers of both Rumania and Greece, according to a Saloniki despatch to Paris. These divisions are being gathered near the Greek border, it is stated.

Diplomatic Corps Held at Nish

Cutting the Nish-Saloniki railway line south of Nish by the Bulgarians has compelled the diplomatic corps at Belgrade to postpone its expected departure for Saloniki, an Athens despatch states.

New Attack on Montenegro

Reports from German sources received in London are that 20,000 Austro-German infantrymen, together with an artillery force, have been sent from Galicia to Bosnia in preparation for an advance into Montenegro.

EIGHT BULGARIAN FORCES HAVE

CROSSED INTO SERBIAN TERRITORY

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Latest reports from the near east indicate that Serbia is in deadly danger of being overwhelmed by the armies of her neighbor. No less than eight Bulgarian forces have crossed into Serbian territory.

The Austro-German forces are advancing slowly but steadily, their latest claim being that a junction has been effected to the west of Semendria. The railroad between Nish and Saloniki has been cut by the Bulgarians, sweeping over the frontier in superior numbers. No news has been received of the movements of the Anglo-French army, although it is known to have been in action, as the arrival of French wounded at Saloniki has been reported.

Italy to Join Balkan Campaign

Italy's declaration of war against Bulgaria increases the hopes of her allies that she will join in the Balkan campaign, but what form her assistance will take has not been indicated definitely. Russia, the first of the allied powers to present an ultimatum to Bulgaria, now finds herself alone in not having issued a formal declaration of war against her former protege.

On the Eastern Front

Along the eastern front activity is confined to the two tips of the long battle line. The Germans are pressing their offensive in the northern area, near Riga, while Gen. Ivanov claims successes for his Russian army in Galicia.

Germans in West Reinforced

Reports from the entente allies on the western front indicate that the Germans have been reinforced heavily and are showing a disposition to assume the offensive. Field Marshal French announces the complete repulse, north of Loos, of German troops who made an attack after heavy artillery preparation. Paris reports that east of Rheims the Germans made an attack on a large scale, occupying several French trenches.

Illness of Asquith Bring Lull

The illness of Premier Asquith has brought a lull in political activity and the crisis which many persons expected would develop in the cabinet this week is hardly likely to occur until the premier is able to appear in the house of commons. At that time Sir Edward Carson may give a public explanation of his resignation of the attorney generalship.

Allied Submarines Active

British submarines, now reported to have been reinforced by Russian craft, continue to inflict severe losses on German shipping in the Baltic sea. A Copenhagen despatch asserts that eight steamships have been prey of the submarines since Monday.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF

FORM

Manifesto by czar announces Russia draws her sword against Bulgaria.
Belief in England that allies plan to press Dardanelles campaign harder than ever.
Berlin announces capture of Russian positions south of Riga, and that Teutons are winning on the Stry river.
No troops have been sent away from Gallipoli peninsula.
Angle-French army advances into Serbia by forced marches.
Bulgarians capture Vranja on Saloniki-Nish railway; Austrians take Obrenovatz.
German assaults on six mile front east of Rheims and northeast of Souchez completely repulsed, says Paris.
Sir John French reports British repelled a heavy German attack.

Y. M. C. I. MEETING

Tomorrow night will be a big night at the quarters of the Y. M. C. I. in Stockpole street, the occasion being the annual opening night of the society, and if the statement of President H. H. Heca is to be credited, the affair will be a grand success. The idea of holding "open house" to the members and their friends originated years back, and many new members were gained by the innovation.

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

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ford of the Boston Street Carriers' union, Miss Leone Baker of the Boston Shoe Workers' union and Miss John O'Connor of the Telephone operators' union.

This noon addresses were given at the sale of the Massachusetts mill and at the entrance to the Saco-Lowell machine shops, the speakers presenting their arguments in a convincing and forceful manner. Despite the drizzling rain they talked from their automobiles and succeeded in holding the attention of good sized audiences.
Tonight two meetings will be held on the down town streets.

SEN. H. F. HOLLIS' REPLY

CONSENTS TO SEPARATION AND CONCEDES TO WIFE THE CUSTODY OF DAUGHTER

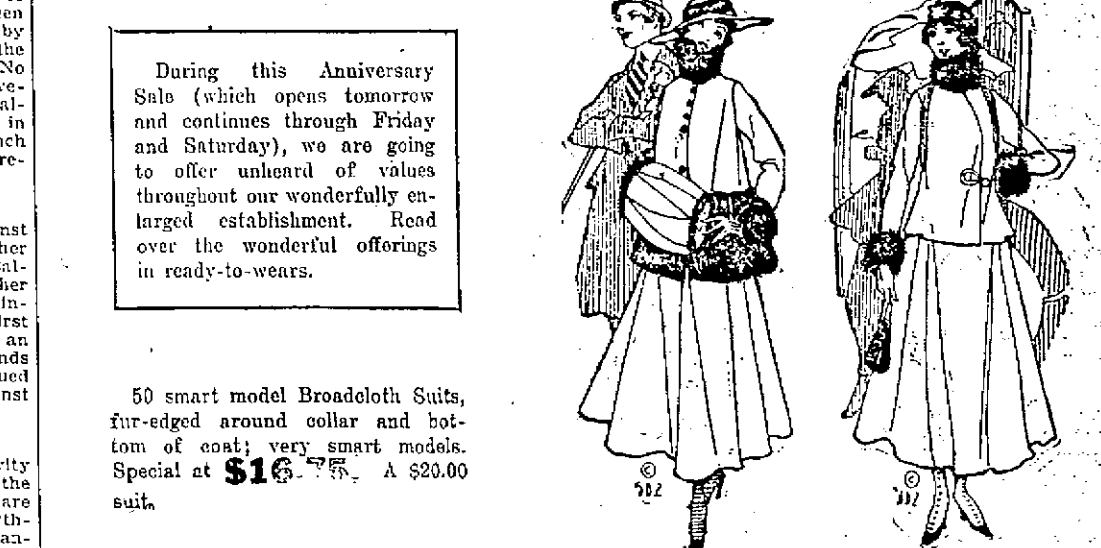
CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 20.—United States Senator Henry F. Hollis has sent from Day of Islands, N. F., his reply to the bill filed by his wife asking for legal separation and maintenance. He consents to separation without contest, concedes to his wife the custody of their daughter, Anne, and asks the court to fix the amount to be paid Mrs. Hollis for maintenance. He says that his sole income is his senatorial salary of \$7500 a year.

DISARM PEACEFULLY IN HAITI

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Navy despatches today from Haiti report natives continuing to disarm peacefully. Quiet was reported in the coast cities.

24th Anniversary Sale 24th

We are 24 years old tomorrow, and with your kind permission we are going to celebrate;—further we want the ladies and misses and little girls of Lowell and surrounding places to be our guests.



During this Anniversary Sale (which opens tomorrow and continues through Friday and Saturday), we are going to offer unheard of values throughout our wonderfully enlarged establishment. Read over the wonderful offerings in ready-to-wears.

50 smart model Broadcloth Suits, fur-edged around collar and bottom of coat; very smart models. Special at \$16.75. A \$20.00 suit.

This Swell Suit represents two big reels of over 90 Suits cut exactly as pictured above, in splendid shades of plum, smoke, green, navy, brown and black, mostly in Broadcloths, some Gabardines and Poplins. Made to sell at \$22.50 to \$25.00. Special during our 24th Anniversary Sale, choice at \$19.75

Anniversary Sale price of 50 splendid latest new Fall Suits in Black and all colors of Serge and Poplin. Satin lined, perfect fitting. Several models like above (ent) made to sell at \$17.50 and \$18.75, all special at \$14.98

Over Seven Hundred Dandy Suits Special at \$25.00

Regular prices \$27.50, \$28.50, and many worth to \$35.00.
80 of those swell Sport Corduroy Coats, belted models, all the rage, only \$8.98. Later price \$15.00.

Motor Coats

We will offer during this Anniversary Sale, 700 Coats; styles that are superb. Wonderful showing of good warm Gray Mixture Coats at \$9.98.
50 Coats of extra quality Tweeds, double-faced men's wear; special at \$15.75.
30 Sample Fur Trimmed Coats at \$16.75, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.
40 Coats made in the simple 3/4 models; special at choice, \$5.00. Many worth as high as \$8.00.
30 Corduroy Coats at \$5.70; regular \$7.50 to \$9.00 coats.

DRESS DEPT.—2nd Floor

Beautiful Dresses at \$6.98. Made of Silk Poplin, bolero effect.
Also three-tier model; shades, Panama Blue, Green, Navy and Black; wonderful for \$6.98.

A Big Reel of Dandy Dresses at \$10.00

Made of Serge and Taffeta Combinations in the Russian and Redingote models.
Also many beautiful Plaid Silk and Serge Combinations. Made to sell at \$12.75 to \$15.00. See them, all special, at choice \$10.00.

Wonderfully stylish Dresses in Silk Poplins, Charmeuse, Lace and Charmeuse.

Many in the beautiful new plum and smoke shades; also King Blue and Brown. Special during Anniversary Sale at \$15, \$17.50, \$22.50, \$25, \$28.50.

Waist Dept. Specials During Our Three Day Anniversary Sale

New Fall Crepe de Chine Striped Silks and Messaline Waists; special \$1.98.
New Fall Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta Waists, in plaids and stripes; special \$3.50 to \$5.98.
New Georgettes and heavy quality Crepe de Chine Waists with convertible collars; special \$2.98 to \$6.98.
New Lace Waists with the new mosquitoire sleeves; special \$5.00 to \$20.00.
A good time to get a sample Waist. A splendid assortment to choose from.
New Fall Lingerie Waists in voiles, organdies, madras and lawns; 98c to \$2.98.

Special Tomorrow Only

Extra Choice Mackerel, Each.....17c
Swordfish.....2 lbs. 25c
Fancy Shore Haddock, lb.....8c

70c Walnut Meats, lb.....40c
15c Concord Grapes, basket.....12c
10c Dromedary Dates, pkg.....8c
10c New Figs, pkg.....7c

Fresh Pork Sausage, lb.....12c
20c Fresh Lamb Chops, lb.....15c
40c Dried Beef, lb.....33c

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STATE CAMPAIGN LIVES

As the state campaign lives it becomes apparent that the republicans are striving to offset their weakness of argument and insecurity of position by windy speechmaking and lightning-change activity. In faultless rhetoric, Messrs. McCall, Coolidge & Co. are condemning everything democratic from President Wilson down only in the case of Governor Walsh they are singularly reserved. Evidently realizing the personal popularity of the chief executive whom all Massachusetts believes to be honest, sincere and public spirited, they hurl their vocal thunders against the administration at Washington, the tariff, the Mexican situation and anything else that gives an opportunity for partisan opposition. Meanwhile, Governor Walsh is developing unexpected strength by a fair, open and courageous exposition of the methods of the last legislature which sought to discredit him and the leaders of which are sojourners behind the republican candidate. Governor Walsh is speaking to the people of the state about state affairs while McCall and Cushing are talking about the tariff and other national matters; incidentally the republican candidates are doing a service to the democratic party by attacking the administration that has kept us out of war and that has striven to serve all the people by every means in its power.

Speaking at a republican rally in Brockton Monday night Mr. McCall, as might be expected, turned his scholarly denunciations on the Underwood tariff referring especially to the tariff on shoes. He presented statistics to prove that Brockton is a thriving shoe city and he waxed eloquent in his condemnation of the putting of shoes on the free list. Finally, after working up a good case for his side of the argument he asked: "Do you want it to go out to the country that you should compete on a free trade basis with the growing shoe manufacturing industry in Japan, where the workmen get about one-sixth of the wages of the workmen in Brockton?"

Without asking what this has to do with the re-election of Governor Walsh, we may be pardoned for looking the dismal picture painted by the republican candidate. Is there really any danger that foreign shoemakers can send their product to this country to compete successfully with us? Shoes are sold very cheap in some stores in this city, but we have never yet seen a sign telling the public that the cheap shoes were made in Japan. On the contrary, American shoe machinery and American shoes have invaded every country in Europe, and Americans who have travelled abroad can testify to stores in foreign capitals under the title "American Shoe Shop." American shoe manufacturers are not afraid of foreign competition at this stage of the game, and the strongest foreign influence on the domestic shoe market is the flood of foreign orders for army shoes. Mr. McCall exercised his imagination somewhat at Brockton when speaking of the shoe situation; we shall probably have the same speech in Lowell only instead of shoes he shall substitute cotton. While the tariff bill lasts, Mr. McCall will not run out of material for speeches but in justice to the public he should pay a little more attention to state matters. He might also recall to his advantage that democrats have been elected in Massachusetts when tariff arguments were more fresh than they are now after a two years' trial and the shock of a war that has partially disorganized the trade of the entire world.

While Mr. McCall was talking about the tariff, Governor Walsh was talking about something that concerns the Massachusetts public far more intimately. Continuing his recital of the activities of "invisible government" in the last session of the legislature he told how riders were tacked on his railroad bill in their last legislative stages, without the knowledge of the governor, the public service commission or, in some instances, the legislative committee on railroads. These riders were brought to light during the closing hours of the debate; if permitted to become law they would have practically nullified the effect of the bills. The bills so treated by the agents of the silent power in the legislature were promptly vetoed by Governor Walsh, who was commended for his courageous stand by the Boston chamber of commerce and practically the entire press of New England. It is up to Mr. McCall to explain why the republican legislature was ready to set the will of the people at naught and to assure the public that he cannot be swayed by the support of interests that for reasons best known to themselves support him in opposition to Governor Walsh.

THE CRISIS IN ENGLAND

There is dissension in the British cabinet. Sir Edward Carson retires, but that is a matter for congratulation rather than regret as Sir Edward has a habit of making trouble if he does not get things his own way. His departure from the cabinet at this time will have an effect somewhat similar to that which followed Mr. Bryan's retirement from President Wilson's cabinet. It will strengthen it.

Mr. Carson was opposed to conscription while owing to the Balkan

demands upon the forces of the nation, conscription may become an alternative of bitter national defeat. The precise nature of the differences in the cabinet is not likely to be known unless there comes a crisis in the form of an appeal to the country which Mr. Redmond says is liable to occur at any moment, although he takes care to say that it is not of Ireland's making.

Premier Asquith is reported as obliged to take a rest and no wonder as he has had to bear the responsibility of the government not only since the war began but for half a dozen years previous. No other premier of England ever showed such keen interest in the masses and none ever brought about more important reforms. If Asquith's health should break down at this critical period there could be found no man in England able to fill his place with equal ability to command the confidence of all sections of the people, excepting perhaps Lloyd George, who is now minister of munitions. He is just a bit too radical and too impulsive to last very long as a responsible leader of a great party.

The government has been criticized on the failure of the Dardanelles campaign, which will now in all probability be abandoned; but until Bulgaria entered the war the allies could not have made any different move. The fault seems to have rested with the commanding general who under pressure from the press and from politicians at home sacrificed his men by driving them against the Turkish forts under the most terrible disadvantages. For that Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton has been displaced by a general of a different stamp.

So far as the allies are concerned their opportunities of beating the central powers are greatly improved by the opposition of Bulgaria. If they take advantage of the situation they can send troops from the Aegean sea to meet Russian forces from the Black sea. Thus if they have sufficient forces and able generals they can not only block the German advance but take Constantinople in their own good time. The outlook for the allies is now much better than before Bulgaria joined Germany.

It is expected that this threatened smash in the cabinet will be patched up if Mr. Asquith is physically able to remain at his post. There is heavy blame laid at the door of the foreign office on account of letting Germany fool them by controlling not only Turkey but Bulgaria and Greece. Nevertheless, England has no diplomat who could fill the place so ably as Sir Edward Grey. If Asquith's health holds out he will harmonize all these divergent elements and overcome all the difficulties, stupendous though they are. He has triumphed in many a situation equally difficult but he was then in the prime of health, but even now after a year of intense mental and physical strain a rest of a couple of weeks may enable him to resume the fight and hold the fort.

BRANDEIS FOR WALSH

In an open letter to the newspapers, Louis D. Brandeis has come out openly for the re-election of Governor Walsh, supporting his choice by a very flattering analysis of Mr. Walsh's administration. He says the defeat of the governor would pave the way for the return of the policies of Cannon, Barnes and Penrose and in contrast declares: "No governor of Massachusetts, be he republican or democrat, has been freer from the subtle influence of wealth, or has striven more conscientiously to serve all the people."

Mr. Brandeis is popularly regarded as a persistent critic of railroad mismanagement and Governor Walsh is regarded as conservative and constructive in his plan for railroad reorganization. It is, therefore, no slight tribute when Mr. Brandeis praises the legislation which the governor has advocated for the restoration of the New Haven and the Boston and Maine railroads. Still more striking is the compliment paid Governor Walsh for his efforts to amend the compensation act in the interest of the workers of the state. Following is an excerpt:

"Every person who has in a practical way attempted to relieve hardships and misery among working people, recognizes social insurance as a pressing need, and Gov. Walsh has devoted himself to its development. The workmen's compensation law, to provide against industrial accidents, has been greatly strengthened through the Walsh's active aid. The weekly compensation for disabled workmen was increased from one-half to two-thirds of the weekly wage. The payment of compensation was extended from 26 weeks to 52 weeks. The maximum payment received was increased from \$300 to \$1000. And without increased burdens upon employers, but with the result that the

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percentage of the insurance premium paid which now goes to the disabled employees, has been doubled. In a single year these changes have put nearly \$300,000 more into the pockets of injured working people or their dependents than would have been paid in the same period if Gov. Walsh had not secured the changes in the law for which he worked.

This statement is so fair and just that even opponents of Mr. Brandeis will admit that he has made a strong argument for the re-election of Governor Walsh, all the stronger for its business aspects and the absence of sentimentality.

IS LAW DISREGARDED

There is a law which stipulates that illiterates between the ages of 16 and 21 shall attend the elementary evening schools provided by the city. According to the superintendent of schools, this law is being disregarded by many employers of labor, as shown by the unsatisfactory attendance at many of the schools. This is a matter that all employers, parents and guardians should consider not only because of the specific and practical law but because of the great principle involved. In a great industrial city such as ours it is unavoidable that many boys and girls shall leave school before they acquire the rudiments of education, and hundreds of immigrants troop in without any educational qualifications. Through carelessness, ignorance or lack of interest many of these are perfectly satisfied to remain illiterate, but the community demands that their lack of education be supplied by attendance at the evening schools for a few months during the winter. Employers who do not comply with the law show a greed and indifference that is not very inspiring, and unless there is a change in local conditions an effort should be made to show all concerned that the law was meant to be obeyed, not as an ornament on the statute books. Luckily the law provides ample means to find out those who ignore or evade it and if the next few weeks do not reveal a better attendance at the evening schools, the authorities should get busy. A few prosecutions might work wonders in arousing respect for the law where now is indifference or contempt.

PUBLIC PRYING

The aloofness of President Wilson in all relating to his personal and private affairs has often been commented on in the press. In many ways it has been unique and altogether in contrast to the publicity which surrounded the home life of our last two presidents. The shock with which the country received the announcement of Mrs. Wilson's fatal illness will be recalled, also the unexpected announcement of his daughters' engagements. This has been changed considerably by the announcement of the president's intention to marry again. Almost daily,

trivial details of his attention to his finances find their way into print and the attention of the public is in many ways distasteful to those who prefer dignity to an insatiable curiosity. Far better that the people pay attention to more important things and refrain from annoying the president with attention that must be unwelcome. President Wilson is too good natured to take public curiosity too seriously, but foreigners who read our papers at the present time cannot be blamed for commenting on the characteristic American flippancy and irreverence.

PRESIDENT CARRANZA

So it is President Carranza of Mexico after all! The Pan-American conference has decided that he is the strongest man, and each American power will now present letters of recognition. This will in turn be followed by the recognition of the European nations and Mexico will have a real government in the diplomatic and international sense. It is the earnest wish of the United States that he will be able to keep order in his country and that he will respect the pledges he has given as to respect for liberty and the rights of all. There is still a strong feeling of apprehension that only time will dissipate and the conviction in many minds that the recognition of Huerta after the death of Madero would have accomplished the same ends while preventing much misery and wrong. Without it Carranza proves a pleasant surprise, the administration will be commended for a Mexican policy which ended well without the necessity for armed intervention.

NASHUA STRIKE

All cities of New England, including Lowell and Lawrence sympathize with Nashua in the trials through which it is at present passing. The strike there has assumed serious proportions, and hot passions have been aroused which have occasioned some bloodshed already and which may precipitate great harm unless speedily checked. It has been found necessary to call the state militia, but their presence has awakened the ire of the foreign workers who do not understand the law and who see an enemy in anything that represents authority. As in Lawrence and even in this city, women take a leading part in the agitation and they are numbered among the victims when the police or militia take summary action. Such instances make our textile cities pray that industrial strikes may be few and far between; occasionally they may bring good but they certainly do much damage to the community and particularly to the parties in conflict.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SEEN AND HEARD

"The pun I love best in the world," says a noted critic, "is Douglas Jerrold's. It may be no base art not to know it, let him hear it now. Some one, not fortunate enough in his selection of a note—it wasn't Thackeray, as tradition tells—was discussing gifts for a godson.

"I think," concluded the intending sponsor, "I'll give him a mug." "For heaven's sake," said Jerrold, "don't give him your own."

Two Ways of Measuring

Mr. Lloyd George's wit on the platform is well known, but the following was one of the neatest retorts he ever made: He was addressing a meeting in So. Wales when the chairman, thinking to be witty at the chancellor's expense, remarked to the audience that he was a little disappointed in Mr. Lloyd George's appearance.

"I had heard so much about Mr. Lloyd George," he said, "that I naturally expected to meet a big man in every sense, but as you can see for yourself, he is very small in stature." Many an orator would have been grievously upset by such an unfortunate beginning to the proceedings, but not Lloyd George.

"I am grieved to find," he said, with mock seriousness, "that your chairman is disappointed in my size, but this is owing to the way you have of measuring a man. In North Wales we measure a man from his chin up, but you evidently measure him from his chin down."

After that the chairman made no more personal remarks.—Pearson's Weekly.

The Old Way and New.

We think of the "whippings" we got when a child. And other punishments dire. How our parents would "wallop" us when they were "chilled." Or when we had raised their ire: We think of the "strap" made of leather that hung From a nail, north mantle high, How used by our parents, most fearfully "stung." Bringing a tear to the eye.

We think of the "switch" made of "birch" or "hickory" that "Dad" wielded with terrible force. When punishing each disobedient lad, Biting his mind with remorse; The "spanking" the sending to bed in the dark.

And often, superstitious, too, Because we'd engaged in some innocent "hook."

But through it rebellious grew.

Some say, after all, it is better 'twas so.

But what would folks say today If children were treated as in long ago, Punished in some drastic way? Now kindness and reason take place of the flog.

Love reigneth in place of fear, And it seemeth to us a far wiser course When "boys" unruly appear.

It certainly tends to humiliate "boys," Curb independence and grit. To whip them like cattle—ambition destroys. Makes them for progress unfit; When reasoning fails, there are much better ways Than "beating" to keep them straight.

So, why threaten a dark cloud o'er their early days Thus sowing the seeds of hate?

—Augustus Treadwell.

Seeing the Light

The readers of this column may have flattered themselves that they knew something about Greece's position in the present war. Editors and others

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have written yard after yard of editorials combining history, treatise and other things, but it remains for a correspondent signing himself "T. P." to set us all right in the matter and everybody will be interested in what he has to say in the following letter addressed to the editor of this column:

"Many times I see to become exploration the disagreement of the Premier, R. Venizelos, and the King Constantine, Queen Sophia of the Grecian to utter.

"My opinion and the conviction which I have with the Grecian press and envoys of the King Constantine. The Grecian whole expect the creation of the Grecian empire which breaking the barbarous Turkish before 500 years ago.

"And the years 1912-1913 is the origin and the destiny to take more place who to be formed in the school from small children 'again by years, by times, again my places it is.' 'Now the allies come to the war the Grecian people it is sympathetic for the allies, but can come assistant. Because all the Grecian places to snatch off, the allies for accounts. The allies want come the Grecian, to the war with side of the allies to win, and after' 'The capital of the Grecian empire the queen of the world who says the great Napoleon. The Constantinople rise to the Russian, what business has the Russian's there? No Russian people is in' The Grecian, Thrake give to the unfaithful ally the Bulgarians. The Grecian islands for the Italy and the Grecian' notent'."

"Why note the Grecian army fight with the allies? Let the Grecian has all the places who belong to the Grecian empire and see the allies, if the King Constantine to respect the command of the Grecian army.

"Now the Grecian have big robbery from the allies."

Was Going Some
A Welshman, an Irishman and an Englishman were arguing as to which of the three countries possessed the fastest train.

Said the Englishman: "I've been in one of our trains and it was going so fast that the telegraph poles looked like a hedge."

"I've seen milestones appear like gravestones," said the Welshman.

"The 'faster' said the Irishman, "I was one day in a train in my country and we passed a flock of sheep, a cold of carrots, a field of turnips and one of parsley and one of onions and then a pond of water, and we were going so fast that I thought it was a stew."

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Phrasing Safe
The next governor of Massachusetts will be Samuel W. McCall or David I. Walsh.—Fall River News.

Cold Feet
The nation that has cold feet is apt to have the most cold cash at the end of the war.—Florida Times-Union.

A Long Fever
It would seem that the very fever of the war would consume its possibilities of endurance.—Haverhill Gazette.

Note Mr. McCall
The expansion of business refuses to wait until the republicans can make a new tariff.—Philadelphia Record.

And Why Not?
"When it comes to the European war situation," says Joe Cannon, "why I

take my hat off to the president."—Worcester Post.

Wonder of Wonders
The human voice now can travel, without the medium of wires, a distance of 1500 miles.—New Bedford Times.

Of One or All?
Each passing day of the great European war only serves to emphasize the fact that this is a struggle to the death.—Lewiston Journal.

British the Guns
The man who takes a pistol may not, necessarily, be looking for trouble, but he is taking a hazardous risk of getting into it.—Fall River Globe.

Mr. Edlinson
On October 21 a nation will honor the man who has done so much to enlarge our working day, to banish night and thus increase the scope of industry and art.—Meriden Journal.

Preparedness
Our situation is so different from Germany's that we do not need a great army. Our situation is so different from England's that we do not need a great navy.—Lewiston Sun.

England Waking Up
England seems to be getting around to the frame of mind which enables her to recognize the fact that American commerce has certain indisputable rights on the high seas.—Springfield Union.

BRIGHTER CHILDREN
Children are probably brighter to-day than a generation ago—but are they stronger? That's a grave question. So many pinched faces, dulled eyes and languid feelings make us wonder if they will ever grow into robust, healthy men and women.

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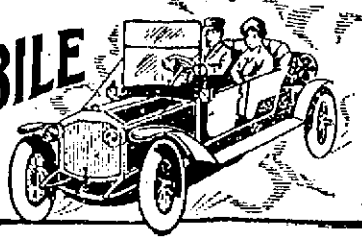
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Commenting upon the recent speed trials in Chicago, in which a Cadillac eight touring car made 100 miles in 82 minutes 46 seconds, an average of 74.49 miles an hour, and a second car of the type did the same distance in 1 1/2 minutes slower, General Manager Leland of the Cadillac company says:

"A significant feature of the performance was the fact that the cars were not piloted by professionals but by members of the experimental and engineering department of the factory. The driver of the car which established the better record had not driven 10 miles on a track prior to this event. The fact means little to the average motorist from a speed standpoint, for the reason that not one person in a thousand ever cares to ride so fast. It is most significant, however, because of its indication of the stamina of the cars. Notwithstanding the terrific

strains imposed by motor speeds of from 2800 to 3200 revolutions per minute and the maintenance of these speeds over so long a period, the Cadillac performed perfectly, and it is immensely gratifying to observe the remarkable uniformity in the running of the two cars.

"The achievements are particularly significant because they were accomplished by the same kind of cars that can be obtained by the everyday purchaser—and not by cars designed primarily for speed purposes, wherein all other things are made subservient to fast driving."

The success of the Red Arrow Motor Supply, 248 Moody street, is a striking example of a young man's diligence to business and determined effort to please his customers. Perhaps one of the most noticeable features which will attract the attention of the visitor to this popular shop is the harmonious system which prevails at all times, everything is in smooth working order there as it is in an automobile after it has been repaired by the experts who, Mr. Arthur Bourke, the proprie-

tor employs. In Mr. Burke's own words:

"I have always tried to keep the best of feeling extant among my workmen, and I have given them a roomy, healthful and lightsome workshop, so that I may expect the best from them. That I am receiving what I expect, is evident from the success which has been mine."

Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart, agent for the Dodge Brothers' car, has sold the following cars of the Dodge Bros. make: M. K. Tenney, touring; J. K. Foss, touring; Mrs. G. B. Moody, touring; Arthur C. Varum, roadster; Rev. F. J. Mullin, roadster; Adolph Delisle, winter car.

The Sawyer Carriage Co. in Worthen street is making a specialty of Oxy-Acetylene welding, not only for small automobile parts, but on all general work for the local mills. One branch of their work is the carbon burning from automobile cylinders. This is done in a thorough manner, while the customer waits, as it is not a long process.

up new fellows on the wheels. If you have the same size demountable rims installed, it will be possible to use the same tires again. On some makes of demountable rims it is not possible to use lugs with the ordinary clincher tire. If a clincher shoe is used on the rear wheels which lugs the tendency will be for the tire to creep on the rim and shear off the valve.

What substance can be put into the gasoline tank to clean out carbon deposits? Does it do the cleaning thoroughly and is it safe to use?

Ans.—There are numerous preparations put out on the market for this purpose, but to date I have found none that would do everything that is required without bad results. The removal of carbon by outside methods is the best.

How much caustic soda should be used to clean out a cooling system of about three gallons? Shall I run the engine while using? If so, how long and fast or slow?

Ans.—Dissolve two and one-half pounds of solid caustic soda so that it makes one gallon of solution. If three gallons is exact capacity of cooling system then dissolve seven and one-half pounds. When this has cooled pour it into cooling system and let stand over night. Be sure to flush whole system thoroughly the next morning.

Twice while driving my car along the road and not using the brakes the rear wheels have locked. On taking off one of the wheels I found that the internal brake shoes were broken and lying inside of the drum. Repairs have been made by a good mechanic, and I am at a loss to understand why this trouble should happen so often. Do you suppose it is due to poor material or because the mechanic did not know how to do the work?

Ans.—Internal expanding brakes must be held in suspension so that the parts will not come in contact with the wheel drums, except when they are expanded by applying the brake lever. The brake shoes have probably been rubbing against the drum until the friction became so great they locked and broke. They should be held in place by heavy springs. If adjusted right there is no reason why you should have this trouble often.

My car at times gives a loud knock in the differential, and on examining it I found that quite a number of the teeth of the master gear were chipped off. I gave the gear case a thorough cleaning and found a number of small pieces of steel from the gear. Did these pieces cause the knock? It has given no trouble since cleaning the gears. Does lack of lubricant cause the gear to chip? Will it cause any trouble to run on the gear when quite a number of the teeth are chipped on the edge? I run about seventy-five miles weekly.

Ans.—Evidently a piece of metal from one of the teeth became wedged between the gears. This would tend to force the gears apart, when meshing at this point. Sometimes when gears have been hardened too much they will chip. Lack of lubrication will also cause it. It is reasonable to believe that once started they will continue to chip. The smallest pieces are bound to cause damage to the other working parts. However, if you clean the case frequently and drive very little you may experience no great trouble until such time as new parts may be installed.

When I let in my clutch the car jumps in starting. This has occurred only lately. It is almost a new car and I do not know whether there is any adjustment or not. Can you advise me as to what may be the trouble and a remedy? I think it is a leather faced clutch.

Ans.—The clutch is too loose. When starting from a standstill you should engage it slowly. If you have a

metal clutch, treat it with a mixture of graphite and oil. If it is a leather faced clutch, treat the leather with some neatfoot oil. In the latter case the oil should be allowed to soak into the leather for a few hours, at least.

Can paint or enamel be used to paint an engine of an automobile? What causes white specks like salt grains in circulation system? I use spring water, not city water. Would this cause the white specks? T. K. Ans.—It is not advisable to use ordinary paint on the cylinder castings. A thick coat of paint will prevent radiation. Supply stores carry in stock a thin cylinder paint, which has no material effect. Would suggest that you use this. It is not advisable to use spring water in the cooling system. This water contains minerals which form a scale or deposit in the water jackets and radiator. It is best to use soft water, preferably rain water.

How should you treat cork used in the floats of carburetors in order to prevent it absorbing gasoline, and so increasing its weight, and also prevent it being attacked by acids, small traces of which are at times present in gasoline?

Ans.—Cork floats should be dried out thoroughly and then carefully shelacked. Unless you are familiar with this kind of work it would be more satisfactory to purchase a new float, which is not expensive.

BATTERY IGNITION
The difference between battery ignition and high tension magneto ignition has puzzled many automobile owners and prospective buyers.

In the magneto ignition system, the current for ignition goes directly from the magneto to the spark plugs. The speed of the magneto increases and decreases with the speed of the engine. The amount of current output of the magneto is in direct proportion to the speed.

For this reason, at the higher engine speeds the magneto is furnishing a good hot spark—but the hot spark is not needed at the higher speeds. When the engine is running slowly, and the magneto furnishes but a weak spark, although a very hot spark is needed under these conditions. This uneven current output has caused the magneto to be relegated to the museum and replaced by battery ignition in makes of cars.

The storage battery, of course, furnishes a uniform current. A good hot spark is available at all times, irrespective of the engine speed. The battery delivers the same current at the slowest engine speed as it does at the higher rate, but the magneto gives but very little current when the engine is running slowly. This is why cars with battery ignition can be throttled down to a much lower speed than cars equipped with the magneto. An objection has been given to the battery system, in that frequent recharging of the battery is necessary. Recent improvements, however, have made this objection invalid.

Most cars which have battery ignition are also equipped with an electric generator. This generator is driven by the engine, in the same way as the magneto is driven, and furnishes current to the battery. The generator, therefore, automatically keeps the battery charged at all times, and does away with the necessity of having it re-charged.

This equipment, known as the generator battery system, has become popular during recent years.

LUBRICATION PROBLEM
With cold weather at hand motorists who are accustomed to all-the-year-around service face new conditions of operation and maintenance. None of the problems that low temperature brings has more bearing on good service than lubrication, for a drop in the mercury means an atmospheric condition that has a tendency to congeal the lubrication oil unless it has been manufactured in a way to prevent this difficulty. Motorists observe this most commonly when they find the motor has started on cold days.

Recently engineers of the Ford Motor company have made interesting experiments to solve this problem through a series of comprehensive cold tests. The oils which these engineers have evolved and which is used in the Ford cars and at all Ford branches is the result of these experiments.

Thus, the Ford man using this oil in zero weather has his lubrication problem solved for him, the purpose being to increase the value of service by passing along to the owner the benefit of the laboratory work. In other words, the oil is made so that automatically it takes care of the problem of low temperature and consequent tendency to congeal the oil.

THE AUTO VS. THE HORSE
Few people realize how completely the automobile has displaced the horse as a means of convenience and necessity in our daily existence.

The physician depends upon his car as a means of convenience to our introduction into the world. Our existence from year to year is made enjoyable by the light car delivery which brings us our daily food, the motor truck and its reduction of the high cost of living through hauling economies, the "jitney," with its essential solution of the transportation problem, or, if circumstances permit, our own car with its unrestricted joys and freedom from restraint.

The motor car truck watches over our property. The ambulance guards our health. The patrol keeps us within the straight and narrow path of propriety, and finally the stately hearse offers opportunity for our last ride.

RELEASE BOY FROM ARMY
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Through the efforts of the state department, which so notified Representative Olney's office, Robert G. Cushman, 11 years old, of Canton, Mass., has been released from service in the Canadian contingent and will be given into the custody of his father, George H. Cushman. The release is said to have been obtained just as the contingent was to sail for Europe.

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2 to 24 E. MERRIMACK ST., Lowell, Mass.

AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

EDITED BY GEORGE H. ROBERTSON

NOTE.—In these columns every Wednesday Mr. George H. Robertson, America's foremost automobile authority, will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, Sun, Lowell, Mass. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

The front tires of my machine seem to wear a lot on the tread. I have just put two new ones on and they are in bad shape already, although only having gone about five hundred miles.

Ans.—Your front wheels are no doubt out of line. Would suggest that you have a good repair man line up these wheels, after which you will have no trouble.

I am driving a chain-drive Simplex and am having quite a little trouble with my driving chains. I have just put on new sprockets, front and rear, but the chains are noisy. Can you advise me to the trouble?

Ans.—In changing the sprockets you should have equipped with new chains also. The old chains are stretched and the pitch is different. New chains will overcome your trouble.

Is it proper, when laying the car up for the winter, to take the tires off the rims and put them in a dry place? Would appreciate any advice you may be able to give me.

Ans.—I would suggest that you take the tires off the rims and look over them thoroughly, fixing cuts, holes, etc. Would then reposition the inner tube and put it back in the shoe, hanging both in a dark, dry spot until you intend to use the car. Clean the rims carefully and paint them with a good rim paint.

What grade of oil would you sug-

gest my using in the motor this winter? I am using a heavy grade of oil at present.

Ans.—Because of the fact that all thickens in cold weather would advise you to change to a light oil which will stand a zero test.

The other night, when driving, my dash lamp went out and I was told by an officer that my tail light, electric also, was out. In looking over the trouble I found it was my tail light that was burned out. Why did my dash light go out?

Ans.—Both the dash and tail lamps are connected in the same circuit, they each being three volt lamps run in series on a six volt circuit. When one light burns out, the circuit is broken and the other lamp naturally cannot burn.

I have a 1914 Ford. When I throw the clutch into first speed it makes a great noise louder than most of the cars I have noticed. It also makes this noise when making about twenty-eight miles an hour. I did not notice this when the car was new. Is this noise due to age or is there other trouble? Also, should Ford cars vibrate to a greater extent when going about twenty-eight miles an hour? Can a Ford go thirty-five miles an hour without being geared up?

Ans.—Would suggest that the transmission be carefully gone over by some one who knows his business. This has probably run dry and needs an overhauling. A Ford should make thirty-five to forty miles per hour without much vibration. If the motor is in good condition the vibration should not amount to anything.

My motor, equipped with a Remy magneto, model R. L. stops when spark is fully retarded when running on batteries. Can you explain the cause?

Ans.—Examine the primary cables where attached to magneto and for a short distance back from the magneto. It is probable that a "short" occurs between two of them when the spark is in the retarded position. Then again, the magnets may be weak. With spark retarded the armature is away from the pole pieces, and if magnets are weak a poor spark will result. Closing the gap a little at the spark plugs may help some.

Can a wheel equipped with an old-style clincher rim be changed to a demountable rim? Is it then possible to use the clincher tire on a demountable rim?

Ans.—It will be necessary to build

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Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN

DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS WILL OPEN THIS EVENING WITH A BANQUET

In conjunction with the big Y.M.C.A. campaign for 1000 new members in six days, which formally opens this evening with a banquet in the association building, the big clock which marked the progress of the campaign was hoisted to its old perch on the Runels building this afternoon. The face of the clock has been repainted and instead of the dollar signs it now bears numbers.

The work of elevating the clock occupied considerable time, a force of men being busy for several hours. On its face is inscribed: "2000 Members for the Lowell Y.M.C.A. 1000 New Members in Six Days. What Other Towns Have Done Lowell Can Do." The numbers on the clock range from 50 to 2000 and persons interested in the campaign can easily watch its progress from day to day. A thermometer will also be placed in front of the association building on Merrimack street.

Plans for tonight's banquet have been completed. R. G. Gould, secretary of the Brockton Y.M.C.A. and Mayor Murphy will be the speakers, with Campaign Manager J. A. McArt giving an outline of the work of the campaign. Music will be furnished by the boys' choir of St. Anne's church. Samuel H. Thompson, chairman of the executive committee, will preside.

Among the most energetic of the captains who promises to make a good showing during the campaign is Harry Pitts, the automobile man, who has charge of the Maxwell team. Mr. Pitts already has a line on several prospects and avers that he will approach them as soon as the campaign is launched. Campaign Manager McArt announces that all persons interested in the campaign, male or female, will be given places in the gallery during the noon

THE SCHENECTADY STRIKE

RANKS OF STRIKERS AT GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY REMAINS UNBROKEN

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Oct. 20.—The ranks of the strikers at the local plant of the General Electric Co. remained virtually unbroken today in spite of the program as the principal speaker today at "Treasury Department Day" at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SEC. MCADOO AT EXPOSITION

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo was on the program as the principal speaker today at "Treasury Department Day" at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

More than 2000 pickets, the largest

number that has been on duty since

the beginning of the strike two weeks

ago, were drawn up in double lines

near the main gate, the only entrance

to the shops that was open. It was

estimated that less than 50 workers

succeeded in passing through the pick-

et lines.

So far as could be learned the com-

pany has made no move to fill the

places of the 13,000 employees who quit

work to enforce a demand for an eight

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TEN MEXICANS LYNCHED

Due to Train Robbery — U. S. Troops Have No Part in Executions—3 Americans Slain

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Oct. 20.—Ten Mexicans yesterday paid with their lives for alleged complicity in Monday night's wrecking of a St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico passenger train on the outskirts of Brownsville, the killing of three Americans and the wounding of four others.

Peace officers said last night they had clues to other Mexicans connected with the robbery. No secret was made that more would be killed if civilian posse catch them.

The wrecking of the train, which occurred near Olmito, seven miles north of here, last night, was followed by the robbery of the passengers. The Mexicans are declared to be followers of Luis de la Rosa, leader of the so-called Texas revolution.

Civil officers here were in most cases powerless to prevent summary executions of Mexicans, for many of the possees were composed mostly of men who worked independently of civil or military authority.

The military authorities under their present instructions have no power to act, except in cases of actual fighting on the river front, in which case they may temporarily direct the operations of civilians.

Lynched For Aiding Bandits

The first Mexican killed by the possees was an unidentified young man, a passenger who was seen carrying a revolver the hiding place of Dr. F. S. McCain, deputy state health officer here, who took refuge in the lavatory of the car when the bandits began firing.

Sheriff W. T. Vann of Brownsville, denied reports of this Mexican's death, but last night it developed that possees killed the man after Sheriff Vann left the scene of the wreck.

This Mexican was himself threatened by the Mexican robbers because of his unusually fair complexion, but was not molested after he told them where two of the "gringos" whom they were hunting were hiding.

The second Mexican killed was alleged to be a "partner" of the young man on the train. Four Mexicans were hanged to trees at various points and four others were shot.

These shootings were on or near the banks of the Rio Grande, where the closest watch for Mexicans was maintained for 100 miles.

Cavalry Join in Search

United States cavalrymen brought to Fort Brown a young Mexican who appeared in the Los Indios district today, about 80 miles up the river from the scene of the robbery, with his horse dripping from apparent hard riding.

Army officers who questioned him said he gave no information to connect him with last night's robbery. He was turned over to the civil authorities here.

Probably 1500 cavalrymen and infantry today searched for traces of the bandits. Hundreds of civilians joined them.

Civil and military authorities did not agree on whether any of the bandits had crossed from the Mexican side of the river. Military officers believed the raid was made up from the American side.

Luis de la Rosa, whom two passengers claimed they recognized among the robbers, has several times been seen in Matamoros and American army officers had asked for his arrest by Carranza officials.

Five Prisoners Jailed

The death of Dr. McCain late yesterday was the third to result from the wreck. Dr. McCain was shot in the abdomen.

The four injured, three of them by bullet wounds and the fourth by scalds when the train was wrecked by a removed rail, were said last night to be recovering.

Five prisoners were brought to the Brownsville jail today, where they were believed to be safe from violence, but the Brownsville jail is the only institution of its kind in this valley and the chances of a suspected Mexican reaching here as a prisoner from any distance during the present degree of excitement are small.

It is known that none of the Mexicans was killed by soldiers and that so far there have been no encounters between the soldiers and Mexicans as a result of last night's affair.

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SLEEPYTIME TALES

THE MISCHIEVOUS KITTEN

Once upon a time Mary's father brought her home a little kitten. "Something for you to play with," he said as he tossed it into her arms. All that day delighted Mary played with her pet until it grew tired and cross and would not be cheerful again until Mary tied a string on a string and hung it where the kitten could play with it.

First the kitten would hit the spot with its paw which would make the spool swing away, and then back again like the pendulum of a clock. The kitten never seemed to tire of playing with the spool so Mary kept it tied where she could always have it.

One afternoon the kitten could not be found, although Mary looked for it in every place she could think of. Early the next morning there was a knock at the door and a man called to her father and said: "Did you know that the electric light in your front room was lighted all night and is going now?" Her father said: "Why, that is queer. No one slept there and no one has even been in there lately."

They opened the door and looked in and what do you think they saw? The light was burning brightly and Mary's kitten was playing with the long swing light bulb. Just as she played with the spool Mary had fixed for her. "Why?" said her father. "The kitten must have been playing with the light all night and in doing so turned it on. A pretty expensive kitten for us, isn't it, Mary?"

They were all so glad to find the kitten that they forgave it for wasting money by turning the light, and whenever the kitten could not be found after that, one of the family would say: "Better look in the front room and see if she has turned on the light again." But she never did as they kept the room locked after that.

PALMER A PROPHET

PREDICTS THAT MAYOR WILL TURN AGAINST COM. MULLANEY BEFORE ELECTION TIME

Jackson Palmer started to work overtime in his campaign last night; that is to say, after addressing a gathering of Cartridge shop employees during the noon hour he was on deck again at midnight, when the night shift was idle and made another address.

If anyone had expected Mr. Palmer was going to discuss the great war loan of the allies, he was doomed to disappointment for he talked himself to local affairs on which he managed to make a very warlike address. Considerable of his subject matter he has spoken before but he also blossomed forth as a political prophet and made a prediction, speaking substantially as follows:

"I have asked Mayor Murphy to tell the people of Lowell whether he would vote for John J. Mullane for license commissioner. Thus far he has failed to reply. Instead, he left the matter to his press agent to explain and the latter has made the attempt."

Mr. Palmer said he would expose the inside facts in the case and cause a split in the liquor camp.

Mr. Palmer then rehearsed the Turcotte case and the explanation of it given by the mayor's press agent.

CALLS ALL MEN TO ENLIST

LORD DERBY ANNOUNCED "LAST EFFORT ON BEHALF OF VOLUNTARY SERVICE"

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Lord Derby, whom the government has entrusted with the task of solving the recruiting problem, in addressing a mass meeting at the Mansion House yesterday afternoon, called for the aid of men with which he hopes to meet the situation.

"I suggest," he said, "that every man who recognizes that the state has a right to call on his services for her protection should enlist at once. All those found physically fit and wishing to join the colors at once could do so, and the remainder continue at their usual vocations, subject to call when needed."

Unmarried and married men, Lord Derby explained, would be put into respective groups, and the bachelors enlisted first. Married men would be called later, according to age. By such a system, he pointed out, there would be no sudden, unmanageable number of recruits, but a steady supply as needed by Lord Kitchener.

Some one had asked the speaker, he said, why recruiting was an urgent necessity, to which he replied: "Look at the map."

Lord Derby said that a fortnight would be allowed men who were called to adjust their private affairs. He hoped that with a proper response it would be unnecessary to call the older married men in any event these older men would so far as practicable be placed in the medical and transport units.

"This is an honest attempt," declared Lord Derby, "to give every man a chance to do his duty—a last effort in behalf of voluntary service. I believe yet that the voluntary system can be made an unqualified success, but there is no time to lose."

SHOT WIFE AND SELF

CHELSEA MAN ATTACKS WIFE IN PRESENCE OF CHILDREN—BOTH MAY DIE

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Patrick Gallagher shot and dangerously wounded his wife Mrs. Della Gallagher, shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a 22-calibre revolver at their home, 75 Spencer avenue, Chelsea, and a few minutes later turned the revolver against himself, inflicting two severe wounds in the head. Both he and his wife are on the dangerous list at the Frost hospital in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher have nine children, the oldest of whom is 19, and the youngest a baby of six months. The baby and an 8-year-old son, Andrew, were present when Gallagher shot his wife.

The shooting took place in the kitchen. With the blood flowing from a wound near her right temple, Mrs. Gallagher seized her baby and ran into the street screaming for help. She went into the house of Mrs. Lena Wilker of 70 Spencer avenue, who sent her young son Joseph to get a doctor, while she helped Mrs. Gallagher to a couch and bathed her wound.

Meantime, Gallagher also dashed into the street and then went back into his house and shot himself. He was found a short time later lying unconscious by the kitchen stove with two bullet wounds in his head.

Young Joseph Wilker soon returned to his house with Dr. McPhail, who bandaged Mrs. Gallagher's wound and sent her to the Frost hospital in a delivery automobile owned by Mayor Jas. H. Malone of Chelsea. Gallagher was taken to the hospital in a police ambulance.

According to little Andrew Gallagher who witnessed the shooting, his father came into the kitchen where his mother was sitting in a rocking chair and asked her whether she intended to go on living with him. She said that she did not and Gallagher declared, and Gallagher immediately drew a revolver from his pocket and shot her.

Frightened by the shot, little Andrew ran out into the back yard, where he was when his father returned to the kitchen and shot himself.

The double shooting is apparently the result of Mrs. Gallagher's having caused her husband's arrest on charges of drunkenness and non-support. He was arraigned in the Chelsea district

GOV. WALSH WILL PRESIDE

He Invites Secretary of War Garrison to Attend Meeting for National Defense in Boston Friday

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—National defense will be strongly advocated at the public meeting in Tremont Temple Friday evening under the management of the Massachusetts branch of the National Security League, at which Gov. Walsh will preside.

Gov. Walsh yesterday invited Sec. of War Garrison to attend and among the speakers will be Cardinal O'Connell, or, if he is unable to attend, Bishop Anderson; Bishop Lawrence, Bishop Hamilton; Pres. Lowell of Harvard; Pres. MacLaurin of M.I.T.; ex-Govs. Foss and Bates, ex-Sec. of the Navy Meyer, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Col. Hahn of the C.A.C. and many newspaper editors.

In connection with the meeting the demonstration camp on the common, showing the work and training of the militia, promises to be popular. A particularly interesting feature will be a simulated attack in which the infantry, machine gun companies, sanitary troops and signal corps will demonstrate their particular work on the battlefield.

The units of the militia which will participate under Maj. Wm. J. Koville of the 5th Infantry, will be Co. C, 8th regiment of Cambridge; detachment of Co. A, Signal corps, of Charlestown; machine gun company of the 6th regiment from Quincy; detachment of the Hospital corps of the 1st regiment from Charlestown; detachment of the ambulance company from Boston, and the field bakery of the 9th regiment of Boston.

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Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

WELL-KNOWN ACTOR DEAD

James Blakely, the Actor, Died in London—Played in the United States in Past Years

LONDON, Oct. 20, 11:45 a.m.—James Blakely, the actor, died in London yesterday.

Mr. Blakely, who was 42 years old, acquired a considerable reputation in England as a comedian. He played in the United States for nearly three years, beginning in 1900.

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	Oriental Lace Quimpes, with long sleeves; regular price \$1.00, at 75c
	Net Fichues with plaited ruffles; regular price 75c, at 50c

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300 Yards Ripplette, white only, fancy stripe, 27 inches wide, value 17c.	JACQUARDS, CREPE DE CHINE
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CLOAK DEPT.

SECOND FLOOR

NEW HAVEN DIRECTORS LOST POINT AT OUTSET

Motion Overruled by Judge Hunt — Former President Mellen Called to Stand

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Attorneys for the defense in the trial under the Sherman anti-trust law of the eleven New York, New Haven & Hartford directors, lost a point at the outset of the introduction of the government's first evidence in the case today. They set up the statute of limitation against the consideration of evidence having to do with acts committed prior to 1912, until acts committed within the subsequent three-year period first placed before the jury.

Judge Hunt held that the government was entitled to prove the prima facie evidence that a conspiracy existed from the beginning, and that if such was proved to the satisfaction of the jury, the jury should then judge the guilt of the defendants from the time they entered the conspiracy insofar as their acts led, up to the three-year period.

Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven, awaiting to be called as a witness for the government, was an interested witness. Mr. Mellen had a seat near several of the defendants against whom he is to testify and by whom he was greeted with every evidence of cordiality when he entered the court room.

Documentary evidence was being introduced when the morning session adjourned, but it was expected that Mr. Mellen would take the stand some time in the afternoon. The government had more than 2000 exhibits which it desired to have marked in evidence.

Charles Mellen, former president, took the stand shortly after 2:30 o'clock.

Questioned by Attorney Swacker, Mr. Mellen gave his occupation as that of a farmer. He was asked as to his early railroad history. He told of positions he occupied in various New England roads. He became general superintendent of the Boston & Lowell and later of the New York & New England. He became second vice president of the New Haven in 1892, where he remained through 1898, when he went to the Northern Pacific, returning to the New Haven in 1903 as its president.

He was asked to identify a government map of the transportation system of New England which hung to the right of the jury box.

"That map represents the railroad situation of New England in July, 1890," said the witness. He then took a pointer and indicated to the jury the several roads with which he was first connected.

Mr. Mellen said he started in the railroad business as a clerk in the cashier's office of the Northern railroad of Vermont in 1869. He showed the position of this line on the map and, with a rapidity that the jury seemed to have difficulty in following, switched

SERBIANS IN RETREAT AUSTRO-GERMANS GAIN

Bulgarians Also Make Progress in Serbia—Serbian Capital Transferred— Turkish Forces Join Bulgarians in Opposing Allied Operations— New Attack on Montenegro

Serbia's desperately resisting forces continue to be forced back by the relentless pressure of the Austro-German invaders.

Today's official statement from Berlin records the enforced retreat of the Serbians south of Lucina and Bozavac, the latter place being some 20 miles south of the Danube.

Bulgarians Advance
Bulgarian troops have captured Sultan Tepa with 2000 Serbian prisoners and 12 cannon. The Austrians also have made progress in moving on Shabat, on the Sava river west of Belgrade.

French Protect Railway
French troops have succeeded in protecting the lower end of the Nish-Saloniki line, and large additions to their forces are on the way to Saloniki, a despatch from that city states. The general movement of the allies from Saloniki is said to be swiftness in the concentration there of sufficient forces for their operations.

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SAYS PREMIER ASQUITH HAS ALREADY RESIGNED

Bottomley Predicts Collapse of Coalition Government—Declares Bonar Law Will Succeed Asquith

LONDON, Oct. 20, 5:30 a. m.—Horatio Bottomley, liberal member of parliament in a speech at Newcastle last night predicted the immediate collapse of the coalition government. He said that the premier, for all practical purposes, already had resigned and would be succeeded by Andrew Bonar Law but that the new experiment would be no more successful than the coalition and that before the end of the war "we should have a revolution or a national council of business men."

PREMIER ASQUITH BETTER
LONDON, Oct. 20, 12:15 p. m.—The condition of Premier Asquith, who was suddenly taken ill yesterday, was described by his physicians at noon today as satisfactory. The following bulletin was given out:
"The prime minister passed a satisfactory night. His condition improved. He will be confined to his room all day."

CABINET MEMBERS QUESTIONED
LONDON, Oct. 20, 3:32 p. m.—Cabinet ministers again were bombarded with

war questions in the house of commons today, but for the most part they managed to escape an intended frontal attack. In the course of the replies it developed that the officer who commanded the landing of British troops at Suvla Bay, on the Gallipoli peninsula, has been relieved and that he holds no command in the army's present; but Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary for war, declined to give further information on the ground that it would be against public interest.

The suggestion made by William Joyce, an Irish nationalist, for the Breitenfurt division of Middlesex of a policy of reprisals as a deterrent to Zeppelin raids was frowned upon by the war office. Mr. Tennant remarking that such a policy always had been the subject of considerable controversy.

"The war office," he said, "is a military organization in England for military operations. The dastardly raids by the enemy on undefended towns and defenceless people should not be allowed to divert the energies of this fighting force from its primary military purpose."

TESTING THE OLD PIPES

More Talk on Memorial Hall Plumbing—Mr. Costello's Suggestion for Day Work Adopted

Further discussion of the testing of the old pipes in the Memorial building now under process of reconstruction was held in the public reception room at city hall this forenoon.

Present at the conference was the mayor and other members of the municipal council, Architects Stickney and Graves, Inspector Connors of the health department, Inspector Connor of the

building department and Thomas P. Costello, who is doing the plumbing work at the Memorial building. The question had to do principally with the testing of the old pipes and an informal vote was taken allowing Mr. Costello eight dollars a day to make the test.

"There seems to be difference of opinion as to the best method of testing the pipes," said Mr. Costello.

The cases were not finished at the time of going to press. James Stuart Murphy appeared for Shore and Daniel J. Donahue for the other three.

MRS. EILLS WINS

Granted Custody of Her Daughter by District Court in Tokio

TOKIO, Oct. 20.—The custody of Olga Eills, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Eills of Massachusetts, was awarded to the mother today by the district court. Mr. Eills appeared in court to oppose his wife's application.

The Eills case has attracted considerable interest in Tokio. The attempt of Mrs. Eills to secure custody of her daughter began several years ago in Massachusetts. After long legal controversy in that state Mrs. Eills was granted the custody of the child but before the decree could be enforced Mr. Eills left the United States with his daughter and went to Japan, where he obtained a position as teacher in the Tokio higher commercial school. An attempt to secure the extradition of Mr. Eills during three years ago failed. During the extradition proceedings Olga Eills was placed in charge of Baron N. Kunda.

Mrs. Eills then decided to go to Japan herself. Several months ago she began proceedings in the Japanese courts to secure the custody of her child, offering the Massachusetts decree in evidence of her right.

Eills was well known in Lowell, where he appeared as a preacher. Later he quickly gained a position as a telephone operator.

238 ON SYMPATHETIC STRIKE
NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Two hundred and thirty-eight machinists employed in the tool department of the General Vehicle company's plant at Long Island City went on strike today in sympathy with the strikers at the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, according to William Dean of the International Association of Machinists. He said the vehicle company was owned by the General Electric Co., and that the men here would stay on strike until the one in Schenectady is settled.

BRITISH VESSELS SUNK

183 MERCHANT STEAMERS DESTROYED SINCE OCT. 11—175 FISHING SHIPS LOST

LONDON, Oct. 20, 4:05 p. m.—Official announcement was made today that the total number of British merchant vessels, exclusive of fishermen sunk by submarines to Oct. 14 was 183. The number of fishing vessels sunk to that time was 175.

ANTIQUEARIAN SOCIETY OFFICERS
WORCESTER, Oct. 20.—The American Antiquarian society at its annual meeting today elected the following officers:
President, Walter Lincoln of Worcester; vice presidents, Dr. Samuel A. Green of Boston, and Andrew McFarland Davis of Cambridge; secretary for foreign correspondence, Dr. James Phinney Baxter of Portland, Me.; secretary for domestic correspondence, Worthington C. Ford of Cambridge; recording secretary, Dr. Chas. L. Nichols of Worcester; treasurer, George Bullock of Worcester; Henry Cunningham of Manchester and Geo. P. Winship of Providence were among the councillors named.

STOLEN SCHOONER RECOVERED
KEY WEST, Fla., Oct. 20.—The coast guard cutter Miami was returning to

A City Girl Visits Her Mother in the Country
And what a time she had. She came back a month ago but has never stopped talking about the old frame house and its little garden, and how much better the spring water was that bubbled from the spring at the foot of the mountain.

One day she went into her mother's room and found a rug that was slightly frayed along the edge where it had had the most wear. She turned the heavy rug around so the worn end went in to the corner where it could not be seen.

A few hours later the mother came down stairs and said: "Daughter, have you been in my room this morning? I don't know what has happened for everything looks new and nice. I think you must do something to brighten it up."

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MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD

STOCKHOLDERS RETIRE \$10,000,000 OF PRESENT CAPITAL—ISSUE PAR VALUE STOCKS

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 20.—Stockholders of the Maine Central Railroad Co. at their annual meeting here today voted to accept the provisions of an act passed by the last legislature authorizing the retirement of \$10,000,000 of the present capital and issuance in its place of \$3,000,000 par value preferred stock, carrying dividends of 5 per cent and bonds of \$1,000,000 par value with interest not exceeding 5 per cent. The board of directors was re-elected and Morris McDonald was again elected president and Chas. H. Blanchford, clerk. All of the subsidiary companies re-elected Mr. McDonald as president and Mr. Blanchford as clerk.

MAN KILLED AT NASHUA

IN RACIAL STRIKE RIOT

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PLEAS OF GUILTY

Seven Defendants in Moonshine Conspiracy Cases Admit Guilt

FORT SMITH, Ark., Oct. 20.—Seven men on trial charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in the manufacture of moonshine whiskey, pleaded guilty in the United States district court here today. Sentence will be passed tomorrow. The case against Fred Bowles of Fort Smith, the eighth defendant, was dismissed. The cases against the defendants went to trial yesterday and their action today was a surprise.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE JEWS IN GERMANY

288 PROMOTED TO BE OFFICERS AND 4000 JEWISH SOLDIERS DECORATED

BERLIN, Oct. 20 (By wireless to Sayville, N. Y.).—Two hundred and eighty Jews in the German army have been promoted to be officers and 4000 Jewish soldiers have been decorated with iron crosses. 18 of them with the iron cross of the first class, according to an Overseas News agency announcement today.

POLES ASSAILED GREEKS—REIGN OF TERROR IN CITY—MILITIA ON GUARD AT MILL—MANY WOUNDED AND STILL IN HOSPITAL

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MRS. SPAULDING DEAD

MOTHER OF GOV. HOLLAND II.
SPAULDING OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DIED AT BOSTON HOTEL

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Mrs. Jonas Spaulding, mother of Governor Holland II. of New Hampshire, who had made her home at the Hotel Brunswick during the past 10 years, died there early yesterday morning at the age of 73, after a year's illness.

At the time of her death Governor Spaulding, his brother H. N. Spaulding and their sister, Miss M. L. Spaulding, were at the bedside.

Mrs. Spaulding was born in Mason, N. H., and after attending the public schools there was graduated from the Salem normal school. For a number of years she taught school in Groton and other Massachusetts towns. Following her marriage to Jonas Spaulding, then engaged in the manufacture of shoes, she went to live in Townsend, later moving to Andover where her husband died 15 years ago. All during that time she had been active in the religious and philanthropic life of the community.

Shortly after the death of her husband she came to Boston and has lived a retired life since that time. Her sons, Governor Spaulding, J. C. Spaulding, of Buffalo, N. Y., and her daughter, Miss M. L. Spaulding, also of Rochester, have been associated in carrying on and extending the manufacturing business which was established by their father, with headquarters at Rochester, N. Y., and a factory at Townsend, N. Y.

The remains will be removed to Townsend where services will be held attended only by the immediate family. The interment will be in Townsend.

TO RETURN GIFT OF \$3500

Trustees of Trinity Church, Haverhill, Will Comply With Demand of Mrs. Charles C. Jackson

HAVENHILL, Oct. 20.—Because the parish sold a parcel of land at the corner of Main and Howard streets, upon which it was planned to build a new Trinity Episcopal church, Mrs. Charles Carroll Jackson of New York has demanded the return of \$3500 she donated and the parish trustees, upon the advice of Bishop William Lawrence, have voted to comply with her demand.

Mrs. Jackson is the mother of Mrs. William Oshorn Baker, whose husband was formerly rector of Trinity parish. During his ministry, when the new church site was selected, Mrs. Jackson gave \$2000 toward the purchase of the Brackett property on Main street. She gave \$500 more afterward, but the plans didn't mature and several months ago the property was sold to Dr. Harry B. Perkins.

The trustees of the parish decided that Mrs. Jackson could not compel the

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The United States civil service commission announces competitive examinations to be held in this city as follows:

Nov. 2.—Senior architect, (male), salary, \$1800 to \$2700 per annum; senior structural engineer, (male), salary, \$1800 to \$2700 per annum; senior electrical engineer, (male), salary, \$1800 to \$2700 per annum; senior mechanical engineer, (male), salary, \$1800 to \$2700 per annum; senior telephone engineer, (male), salary, \$1800 to \$2700 per annum; senior signal engineer, (male), salary, \$1800 to \$2700 per annum.

Nov. 3.—Supervising telegrapher, (male), salary, \$1100 to \$1500 per annum; teacher of manual training, and mechanical drawing, (male), salary, \$1200 per annum; associate gas engineer, (male), salary, \$2000 per annum.

Dec. 8.—Surveyor, (male), salary, \$1000 to \$1500 per annum.

The Massachusetts civil service commission announces a competitive examination for assistant actuary in the service of the savings bank life insurance department under the state actuary to be held at Boston on November 10. The position is open to men only and pays a salary not in excess of \$1500.

It is essential that the applicant have a thorough knowledge of mathematics of all kinds, including algebra, trigonometry, theory of logarithms, permutations and combinations, and finite differences, and in addition possess a practical knowledge of actuarial work and life insurance theory as applied in the computation of premiums and reserves and in the preparation of the annual statements and gain and loss exhibits of insurance companies.

The office requires a man who will come in constant contact with the general public and do some public speaking.

The examination will include the following subjects: a sworn statement of training and experience; the writing of a letter or report; mathematics and technical questions regarding actuarial work, based on the requirements outlined above.

Only citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year have a right to apply.

Men desiring to take this examination may secure application blanks by applying, in person or by letter, at the office of the Massachusetts civil service commission, room 151, State House, Boston, Mass.

Applications may be filed at any time; but in order that a man may be entitled to appear at this examination, his application blank must be filled out and placed on file in the office of the commission on or before November 3, 1915, at 5 p. m.

POPE APPEALS TO KAISER

PONTIFF ASKS GERMAN RULER TO SPARE WOMEN—PROBE EXECUTION OF NURSE

ROME, via Paris, Oct. 20.—Pope Benedict at the request of the British and Belgian legations has interceded with Emperor William on behalf of Baroness de Homphum, the Countess de Belleville, Mme. Thullier, and seven other French persons who have been condemned by the Germans to be shot. Cardinal Hartmann, archbishop of Cologne, has informed the pontiff that Emperor William has suspended the execution of the sentences against the prisoners in order that he may make a more detailed examination into their cases.

TO PROBE EXECUTION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Ambassador Gerard has been instructed to ask the German foreign office for an official report on the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, an English nurse, by the German authorities in Belgium.

According to the unofficial report Miss Cavell was accused of aiding Belgians to leave German jurisdiction, was convicted by a court-martial and sentenced to death.

When led out before the firing squad, Miss Cavell fainted and dropped to the ground. The German officer in command of the squad stepped forward, and drawing his revolver stooped over the unconscious woman and fired a bullet into her head.

The report of the manner of execution caused a thrill of horror in Washington, but it was realized that no action could of course be taken by the American government.

Yesterday the British government made a request for a complete investigation of the matter by American officials. Inasmuch as the United States is handling British and French affairs in Belgium and Germany, the state department has acceded to the request. Ambassador Whitbeck, in Brussels is also making an inquiry.

TERROURISM IN BELGIUM

ROTTERDAM, Oct. 20.—The sentence of death of Miss Cavell, the English nurse at Brussels, is only part of the campaign of German terrorism which has recently been conducted in Belgium as a result of the unrest amongst the inhabitants which was manifested in

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HURT WALKING IN SLEEP

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—While walking in her sleep last night, Mrs. Freda Hodgdon fell from the third story window of her home at 147 Cambridge street, Charlestown, sustaining serious injuries to her back.

SIX HURT IN CAR CRASH

MOTORMAN'S LEGS CRUSHED AT EAST PROVIDENCE—TROLLEYS IN COLLISION

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 20.—Two motor-men and four passengers were injured in a head-on collision on the Huntington car line, near the Agawam Hunt club, in East Providence, last night.

The accident was due to leaves on a track, which caused the car to slide down a hill and crash into another standing at the foot of the incline.

Motorman Benjamin L. White's legs were crushed and he was injured internally. At the hospital where he was taken it is feared he is fatally hurt.

Motorman David Bouvier was pinned between the cars and received severe body bruises. Patrick F. McNamara, a passenger, was cut by flying glass. Mrs. George A. Perry of Seekonk, Mass., and Miss Alice Fiodine of Rumford suffered nervous shocks and Andrew Swanson of Rumford was badly bruised about the head and body.

SHOOTING VICTIM'S FUNERAL

Private Service at Athol for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright—Son Describes Tragedy

ATHOL, Oct. 20.—The funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, victims of the shooting affair Monday, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 at the undertaking rooms of J. P. Higgins. Rev. C. T. Schaeffer of the Methodist church will officiate. The services will be private.

According to the deaf mute, Glenroy Wright, his father shot several times at him in the house, two going through a looking glass. The boy ran down stairs, the father following him and the former escaped by hiding behind a big barrel. He intimated to Police Chief Murphy yesterday that his mother was shot in the door yard as she was trying to get to Wright's mother's house.

LOSS \$7000 TO \$8000

Fire Partially Destroys Alpha Hat Factory in Medway—Blaze Originated in Chimney

MEDWAY, Oct. 20.—The three story wooden factory of the Alpha Hat Company was partially destroyed by fire yesterday noon with a loss of between \$7000 and \$8000.

The fire originated in the chimney and the roof and third floor were completely burned before the blaze was brought under control.

All the lower floors were flooded, and the loss on corrugated boxes and cardboard stored in the cellar and a large amount of steam stock on the third floor is heavy.

The Alpha Hat company was organized about three years ago by local men and was in operation steadily until May, when the plant was shut down, it being decided, on account of the uncertainty of the market, not to manufacture any goods during the summer season. When running to its fullest capacity fully 125 hands were employed.

The loss on building and contents is covered by insurance, and when this is adjusted plans will be made for repairs.

CLOSING ANOTHER SCHOOL

North Attleboro Board Makes Effort to Prevent Spread of Epidemic—Parents Are Cautioned

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Oct. 20.—The board of health is doing everything possible to prevent a further spread of scarlet fever and diphtheria here. A dozen cases of scarlet fever and six cases of diphtheria have been reported. The health officer closed the school for Monday and yesterday it was ordered advisable to close the Bank street school.

The health officer yesterday issued the following notice: "Parents are cautioned to keep their children in places of amusement or entertainment. By keeping your child away from others, you protect him."

BRANDEIS WITH WALSH

SPEAKS AT RALLIES IN MALDEN AND MELROSE—MEETINGS IN FOUR CITIES

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Louis D. Brandeis last night took the stump and advocated the reelection of Governor Walsh. Mr. Brandeis accompanied Governor Walsh in his automobile to rallies in Malden and Melrose and

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\$3.00 Cut Glass \$1.95 —Handsome, rich cuttings on heavy or light blown blanks, in sugar and cream sets, fruit bowls, salad bowls, footed compotes, sherbet sets, water sets, 7 pieces, celery trays, etc. Special at \$1.95	\$6.00 Fern Dish Combination \$3.95 —Beautiful floral cut glass fern dish, footed style, complete with natural prepared fern and 10 inch French plate glass mirror platoon. Special at... \$3.95 Complete	\$7.00, \$8.00 High Grade Cut Glass \$4.95 —Included in this lot are beautiful vases, 12 inches high, ice tea sets, 11 pieces, fern dishes with fern and mirror tray, berry sets, water sets, sherbet sets, footed style, berry or salad bowls, footed compotes and handled compotes. Special at \$4.95
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Reliable Silverware of the Best Makes

\$2.00 Rogers Tea Spoons, 6 for 59c —William Rogers & Sons silver plated tea spoons, heavy silver plate on white metal, 8 desirable patterns; regular price \$2.00 dozen. Special at... 6 for 59c	\$7.00 Silver Tea Sets \$3.95 Set —Rogers "Middletown" grade silver plated tea sets, consisting of gold lined sugar and cream, spoon holder and covered teapot with tray; regular \$7.00 value. Special at... \$3.95 Complete	\$15.00 Chests of Silver \$9.95 —William Rogers & Sons best silver plated ware, in sets of 26 pieces in genuine mahogany case, silk velvet lined; regular \$15.00 value. Special at... \$9.95 Complete
\$1.00 Wm. Rogers Silverware 59c —Wm. Rogers & Sons silver plated table pieces, in cream handles, gravy ladles, cold meat forks, sugar shell and butter knives, etc.; regular price \$1.00. Special at... 59c	\$5.00 Silver Bakers \$3.95 —Handsome silver bakers or covered pudding bakers, heavy silver plate with white enamel inset, 3 patterns; regular price \$5.00. Special at... \$3.95	\$25.00 Chests of Silver \$16.50 —Genuine "1847" silver ware in sets of 26 pieces, best 16 dwt. plate, engraved hollow handled knives, fancy forks and spoons, complete with genuine mahogany, silk plush lined chests; regular price \$25.00. Special at... \$16.50 Complete
Rogers "1847" Silver Knives and Forks \$3.95 Set —Genuine "1847" silver plated knives and forks, guaranteed 16 dwt. pure silver plate, 6 knives, 6 forks, in mahogany box; regular \$5.00 value. Special at... \$3.95 Complete	Rogers "1847" Tea Spoons 6 for \$1.75 —Genuine "1847" silver plated tea spoons, best silver plated ware made, 20 years guarantee, 8 patterns, six tea spoons in silk lined box; regular value \$2.50. Special at... \$1.75 Complete	We are showing the most complete line of "Community" and "1847" Rogers Silver Plated Ware in chests, sets and single pieces at prices that show a big saving on each item.

spoke in these cities while the governor proceeded to rallies in Everett and Chelsea.

Mr. Brandeis' appearance on the stump followed his earlier statement favoring the reelection of Gov. Walsh. His speeches last night followed closely his previous arguments in favor of the governor. He also declared that Gov. Walsh was closer to all the people of the state than any governor who ever sat in the state house.

Gov. Walsh's rallies in the four cities drew good crowds, and he spoke in all to about 3500 persons. At the close of his last rally, in Chelsea, at 11:15, he hurried to his apartments and then boarded the 11:40 train for Springfield, from which city he will make a tour of the western part of the state today.

The rallies were also addressed by Edward P. Barry, candidate for lieutenant-governor; Prof. Edwin A. Grosvenor, candidate for secretary of state; Joseph J. Donahue, candidate for attorney-general; Jacob C. Morse, candidate for auditor, and C. H. Morris, candidate for local offices. At Chelsea Congressman Peter F. Tagge also spoke.

Malden Turns Out 1200

The first rally of the evening was in Malden hall, Malden, where about 1200, including many women, were gathered. Both Gov. Walsh and Mr. Brandeis were introduced by Judge Thomas P. Riley of Malden, an ex-chairman of the democratic state committee.

About 600 were gathered in the city hall at Melrose and the governor, introduced as Ex-Mayor Barton was speaking, John J. O'Connor, chairman of the democratic city committee, presided.

The next rally was in the nature of a dedication ceremony, for the meeting took place in Conservatory hall, Everett. It being the first held in the building, Michael McNamara, ex-chairman of the democratic city committee, presided.

In Chelsea the rally was held in Grand Army hall and Mayor James H. Malone presided. At all the rallies the governor continued his advocacy of the reelection of Governor Walsh, and at length on his efforts in behalf of the inauguration of free vocational, advanced schools and other educational extensions departments.

Gov. Walsh's Address

He said in part:

"No service which I have rendered as governor, I believe, will result in more benefit and enthusiasm of opportunity to all our people than the free correspondence school and other educational extension departments which the commonwealth through my efforts is now commencing."

"It has been estimated by a high educational authority that several millions of dollars have been paid by the working people of Massachusetts for this kind of education during the last quarter of a century."

"That the correspondence courses will follow: 8:30 a. m., West Springfield; 10 a. m., Westfield; 1:30 a. m., at Russell; 10 a. m., at Westfield; 1:30 a. m., at Chester; 11:30 a. m., at Stockbridge; 12:30 p. m., at Great Barrington; 2 p. m., at Lee;

In every part of the state. "Ample provision can be made to enable every industrious and ambitious boy or girl, woman or man in this state to obtain the practical education of which many of them were deprived in their youth."

Second Only to Health Reform

"I regard this plan for the extension of education as second only in importance to my reorganization of the health administration of the state, which men of all parties today approve and applaud."

"Even my republican opponent a few days ago gave unstinted praise to our new health council's work under the direction of Commissioner McLaughlin, and yet the same republican party campaign attempted its defeat in the legislature of 1914."

"The people of this state have not forgotten that in the closing hours of the 1914 legislature that same republican machine sent its mandate to the state house that this great reform in health regulation must be killed. One republican leader after another, following the party leader upon the floor of the house, attacked the measure and urged its defeat, while quietly the word was passed among the republican members that the organization had ordered that the bill be killed."

"The votes of the democratic members with the aid of a few independent republicans, foiled this eleven-thousand dollar attack and gave to the people working people of Massachusetts for the present splendid system of health education."

The governor will speak today as follows: 8:30 a. m., West Springfield; 10 a. m., Westfield; 1:30 a. m., at Russell; 10 a. m., at Westfield; 1:30 a. m., at Chester; 11:30 a. m., at Stockbridge; 12:30 p. m., at Great Barrington; 2 p. m., at Lee;

2:30 at Lenox; 3:30 p. m. at Lanesboro and 4 p. m. at Cheshire.

He will also speak at evening rallies in Williamstown, North Adams, Radcliff and Pittsfield.

TEUTONS EFFECT JUNCTION

BUDAPEST, via London, Oct. 20, 10:57 a. m.—According to a special despatch to the 18th, the German and Austro-Hungarian troops operating along the Danube river against the Serbians have effected a junction west of Semendria.

POSTMASTERS' CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The National Association of Postmasters met in annual convention here today with more than a thousand first and second class postmasters in attendance. The sessions will continue three days and questions of vital moment to the postal service will be considered.

Today was given over to welcoming addresses and a reception to the postmasters by President Wilson.

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BIG INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

Extensive Show Planned by the Board of Trade at Kasino—Locations Available

Arrangements for the Industrial show of Lowell made goods, which will be held at the Kasino in Thorndike street from Nov. 15 to 20 inclusive, are progressing rapidly and those in charge of the coming event, officials of the Lowell board of trade, are in hopes that it will be one of the most successful enterprises for a long time.

The Kasino was selected for the show because of its airy facilities, for at the close of the exhibition each evening the side walls of the building can be removed and the place entirely ventilated. The large hall has been divided into sections which have been numbered from 1 to 61 and these spaces are being rented very rapidly.

The committee in charge of the event has sent out a letter to local manufacturers asking them to join in the exhibit in order to show the residents of Lowell what is being manufactured in their locality and already several have replied favorably.

Mr. Sawyer Treasurer
John P. Sawyer, cashier of the Union National bank, has been chosen treasurer in order to show the residents of Lowell made goods, which will be held at the Kasino in November.

The committee in charge of the coming event has sent the following letter to local manufacturers:

Dear Sir:—The Lowell board of trade announces that it will conduct an exhibition of the manufactured products of Lowell at the Kasino in Thorndike street, beginning Monday, Nov. 15, and continuing for five days.

The purpose of the exhibit is to show the people of Lowell their actual products; thus arousing local interest and pride in the diversity of the local production.

The central idea of the exhibit is educational and not commercial. It is planned to make it an absolutely free show to the public.

The plan of the show is to have every article manufactured in Lowell represented by its manufacturer under his own name and exhibited in his own way.

The money collected from exhibitors will be used to pay the costs of the Kasino policing during 24 hours a day.

music by a large band on each evening, establishment of the exhibition booths and the decorating as well as of the preliminary expenses incurred in printing and postage. It is not believed that on the plan outlined above there will be financial profit in the undertaking.

The exhibition has the endorsement of the directors of the Lowell board of trade by whom the power to manage it has been delegated to the executive committee. It is further endorsed by the largest and most important local industries through their managers who have been consulted as to the advisability of this undertaking.

Please read the appended blank and fill it out according to your own ideas and mail it at once to the Lowell board of trade in the return envelope provided.

Please remember that the time of preparation is short and that you can help most by a speedy response.

For further information and for answers to queries telephone the Lowell board of trade, 439. We seek to serve you to the best of our ability and to give Lowell something new before attempted here in showing the people what Lowell really amounts to.

Will you not please help?

Respectfully yours,

Robert F. Marden, President,
John H. Murphy, Secretary,
Clarence M. Nelson,
John A. Bunnewell,
Harry Dunlap,
Executive Committee.

FUNERALS

LAVERGNE—The funeral of Leo Laverigne, the boy who met a tragic death after drinking oil of vitriol yesterday morning, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Laverigne, 217 Salem street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Napoleon Bileau.

STURDY—The funeral of William H. Sturdy was held yesterday afternoon from his home, 17 Queen street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. I. Paradis, pastor of the French M. E. church. Rev. Mr. Paradis and Mrs. Louise Menard sang appropriate songs.

lections. The bearers were Messrs. Charles F. Cassing, Arthur R. and John Supri. Burial was in the family lot in the Bolton cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

CUNHA—Nelle Cunha, aged 11 months, died Tuesday night at the home of her parents, Thomas and Rose Cunha, 42 Grove street. Funeral took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the home of her parents. Services were held at the grave, Rev. Joseph A. Aparicio officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's and was private. Undertakers M. H. McDonough sons in charge.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DALY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Gertrude Hogan Daly will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 180 Grand street. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers Jas. J. O'Donnell & Sons.

DOWLING—The funeral of William Dowling will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 71 Buttrick street. A mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough sons.

BOYLE—The funeral of Catherine Boyle will take place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of her parents, John J. and Mary Boyle, 54 Whipple street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Higgins Bros.

NEWMAN—Died October 18th, at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Katherine Bartholomew Newman. Funeral services will be held at the home of her mother, Mrs. George H. Bartlett, 26 Huntington street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

MONTH'S MIND MASS

There will be a month's mind mass Saturday morning at the Sacred Heart church at 8 o'clock for Mrs. Bridget Hunt, requested by the Holy Rosary society.

DEATHS

BOYLE—Catherine Boyle, aged three years, 9 months and 20 days, died this morning at the home of her parents, John J. and Mary Boyle, 54 Whipple street. Besides her parents she leaves two sisters and one brother.

KIVELLE—Miss Mary Kivelle, aged 27 years, died Monday at the Westboro hospital. She leaves her parents and an elder sister, Helen. Burial took place this afternoon in St. Patrick's cemetery and was private. Undertakers M. H. McDonough sons in charge.

DOWLING—William Dowling died yesterday at his home, 71 Buttrick street, aged 82 years. He leaves his wife, Mary J.; four daughters, Mrs. Daniel P. Berry and Anna, Catherine

BIG SALE

Ostroff at the Front Again

Merchandise from the purchaser of Wilson, Larrabee & Co. of Boston, who have recently retired from the wholesale business after conducting it for a score of years; also a large bankrupt stock which we have secured for a very low price at public auction in this city and whose name we do not wish to mention. These stocks will be put on Sale Friday, October 22nd, at 9.30 sharp and will continue until they are disposed of to your advantage.

SPACE DOES NOT PERMIT US TO GIVE YOU THE ITEMS

Do not miss this sale, it will be worth your while. Now is your chance to buy reasonable merchandise at very low prices. We do not hesitate to advise the public to be sure to do their winter's buying now whether they buy here or at any other store, as the price of all merchandise is going up every day on account of the war.

DO NOT FORGET THE PLACE AND THE DATE

Our store will be closed today and tomorrow, Oct. 20 and 21, to arrange these stocks for the big sale.

SALE STARTS FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 22, 9.30 A. M. SHARP.

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CITY HALL NEWS

(Continued)

opinion as to the inspection of the old pipes at the Memorial building, said the mayor, upon calling to order, and he called upon one of the architects on the job, P. W. Stickney.

Mr. Stickney said he thought \$600 was exorbitant and that he presumed Mr. Costello who bid that amount, thought so himself, but that he had to put in a bid to cover possibilities.

"I do not think," said Mr. Stickney, "that it will be necessary to remove much of the old pipe—perhaps none of it."

"Do you think Mr. Costello, that you would have to take out the old pipe?" said Mr. Stickney.

Mr. Costello replied in the negative, but he said there were pipes that were already leaking. He said there is more work in getting ready for the test than in making it. He explained that all of the plumbing fixtures would have to be taken down. He said that his bid of \$600 included testing, but did not include the putting back of the old fixtures, some of which, he said, are cracked. His bid included the replacing of the fixtures and the putting in of new fixtures if necessary.

Architect Graves said he did not think it necessary to test all of the old plumbing, but he believed a test of the greater portion of it was necessary, but if it is going to cost \$600 or \$300 he would cut out the test.

The Sewer Gas
Mr. Graves also referred to the sewer gas in the public library and substantiated Mr. Costello's statement of yesterday to the effect that Librarian Chase had complained about it. The mayor yesterday stated that Mr. Chase said he had not said anything about sewer gas, but Mr. Graves said that Mr. Chase did speak of sewer gas. Later, however, Mr. Graves said Mr. Chase might have used the term "foul odor" instead of "sewer gas."

Mr. Morse said there wasn't any chance for sewer gas to get into the library.

Mr. Costello said he did not lay particular stress on the sewer gas, that he presumed the question as to whether sewer gas could get into the Memorial building was debatable.

Mr. Stickney said that \$500 was nearly as much as was allowed for the putting in of the new pipes, and Mr. Costello said the old job might prove a very expensive one.

Mr. Costello reiterated what he said yesterday as to the proper way to make the test, that the best thing for the city would be to have him go ahead and do the job by the day, charging material and labor.

In reply to questions by Com. Morse, Inspector Connors of the board of health and soil pipes and found that the pipes had not been disturbed.

"Did you look on the third floor?" asked Mr. Costello.

"We did."

"Didn't you find any pipes disturbed there?"

"No, sir."

"Well, I will take you out and show you some."

"All right—I will go with you."

"You will admit that when the roof and floors fell in the pipes went with them?"

"I suppose they did," replied the inspector, and thus ended this line of argument.

Mr. Costello said that in order to proceed with his work it was necessary to connect the new work up with the old. He explained the connections.

Com. Putnam asked Mr. Graves why he had allowed the connections to be made and Mr. Graves said he hadn't sanctioned it.

"You were supposed to be on the job and you ought not to have allowed him to make the connection before the new pipes were tested."

Mr. Graves said he had not permitted or accepted anything as yet.

Inspector Connors was asked what is customary in such matters, and he said it was customary not to make the last two joints until the new work was tested.

Mr. Costello said there never was any question in his mind but that the old pipes should be tested.

Mr. Stickney raised the point that inasmuch as the old and the new work were connected up it looked as if both would be tested together.

Mr. Costello said he was not seeking to get rich on the contract, that he would do the work by the day as cheaply as possible and the alderman the expense the better he would like it.

"If you hadn't connected up the new work with the old," said the mayor, "it would have been none of your business about the testing of the old pipe."

"Oh yes it would," replied Mr. Costello and he referred the mayor to the specifications.

Mr. Carmichael asked Mr. Stickney if it would be possible for Mr. Costello to complete his contract without having anything to do with the old work.

Mr. Stickney didn't think it would and Mr. Costello said it would be impossible.

possible. He said if the old work was not tested it would be the first case of its kind in the city of Lowell.

The mayor wanted to know who paid for the test of the new work and Mr. Costello said he would have to pay for it as provided for his contract.

"Then by the connection you have made between the old and new and the city would pay for both tests?" queried the mayor.

"I do not know," replied Mr. Costello, "but I never dreamed that there would be any question as to the ultimate testing of the old work, and I presumed, as contractor for the new work, that I would make the test."

In reply to Mr. Costello, Inspector Connors said he had never made any pipe tests for the city, that his work is inspecting, not testing.

"How much would you charge a day to do the job by day work?" asked the mayor.

Mr. Costello said he would charge \$5 a day for two plumbers.

The mayor finally suggested that all plumbing work on the premises be stopped until all of the testing work is done and that it be done at \$5 a day.

Mr. Costello, however, called attention to the fact that it would be necessary to finish to complete what he termed "rough work" before a general test could be made.

Then the mayor changed his suggestion to include the completion of the rough work and that Mr. Costello proceed to the testing of the old work at \$5 a day.

An informal vote was taken favoring this proposition and all hands went across to the Memorial building to look things over.

The arrangements carried out, according to the mayor's suggestion, will provide for all the bosses that are necessary. The bosses will include the architects, Inspector Connors of the board of health and Inspector Connors of the buildings department. Mr. Costello's original suggestion that the testing of the old work be done by the day, was therefore finally adopted.

WHY CARSON RESIGNED
SAYS ACTION DUE TO DIVERGENCE OF VIEWS IN REGARD TO NEAR EASTERN AFFAIRS

LONDON, Oct. 20.—3.40 p. m.—Sir Edward Carson announced in the house of commons today that his resignation from the attorney generalship was due to divergence of views in regard to near eastern affairs.

MATRIMONIAL

Ralph E. Bickford and Miss Olive M. Palm were married last evening, the ceremony being performed at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, 112 Vermont avenue, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Arthur C. Archibald, pastor of the First Baptist church. The best man was Henry Palm, while the bridesmaid was Miss Carrie Emery. After a short wedding trip the happy couple will make their home at 133 Mammoth road.

NASHUA STRIKE

Continued

The mob of Polanders approached. When the mob reached the Greeks, they stopped and it is understood a riotous dispute led to the shooting. Immediately after the shooting, the mob prevailed and for a time it looked as though a big fight was about to take place, but the police soon quieted things down. Late last night the police arrested Adam Sharpe on a charge of murder and he was held without bail by the police.

The Greeks it is alleged, were assailed by the strikers, who are mainly Poles and Lithuanians, for not joining the body on strike.

At the hospital it was learned that the men were injured with knife wounds rather than bullets from the automatic. Stripes were stabbed in the neck. The name of the other man is Costas Dioncle.

Greeks Aroused
The injury to two of their countrymen put the Greek population of the city in a very dangerous mood and from six o'clock last night up until 5 o'clock a crowd of more than 100 stood in Pearl street in front of Hamilton hall, which is being used as strike headquarters, and prevented the Polanders from attending a strikers' meeting. The news of their presence spread rapidly in the Polish quarters and a movement was started by the Poles. It is said to hold their meeting at any cost.

Trouble, at any rate, was averted by A. J. Diamantopoulos, one of the leading men in the Greek community who keeps a store directly under the strike headquarters. Mr. Diamantopoulos was on his way back to his gathering of his countrymen standing in front of Hamilton hall. After learning the cause of the crowd he made a lengthy speech in which he cautioned them to be peaceful and to the outbreaks against their fellow countrymen in the hands of the law. His speech had its effect and the crowd went upstairs into Hamilton hall, where they were again addressed by prominent leaders. After the adjournment of their session the Polish workers were allowed to hold their meeting and there was no disturbance of any kind.

The police which occurred in the afternoon resulted in the arrest of the Greeks. It is said that the strike movement. None of the Greeks are on

strike and but few of the French speaking people, although all are out of work owing to the big manufacturing establishments being closed.

Sharpe Arraigned
Former Mayor William H. Barry appeared for Adam Sharpe, who is charged with the murder of James Stradlin in the Nashua police court this morning before Judge Conner. Sharpe pleaded not guilty to the complaint and was held without bail. Counsel Barry said he did not know whether Sharpe was a striker or not, but that he would continue to appear for him until this information could be gained.

Stradlin Leaves Family
James Stradlin, the dead man, was 25 years old, and resided with his wife and two children at 47 1-2 Ash street. He had been employed as a yard-hand at the Jackson Manufacturing company, for the past five years under foreman Edward L. Farrar and was a quiet and well conducted workman.

No Shipments
No attempt was made this morning to move any freight from either the Nashua Manufacturing company, or the Jackson Manufacturing Co., and no further outbreak was reported.

Adjutant General's Position
Adjutant-General Charles Howard was reached by telephone at the state armory and in reply to a request for a statement regarding the use of troops in the rioting on Monday, he replied that he had nothing whatever to say, except that the troops are called out to preserve the peace and are doing their duty.

Absolutely no definite statement was given last night by either militia officers, Mayor Crowley, the police department or counsel for the strikers as to the identity of the officer who fired the shot that struck a striker named Rasavitch. At the hospital last night it was learned that Rasavitch was still in a serious condition, and his name had not been removed from the danger list. In Nashua it is reported that the shooting of the striker was done by Lieut. Gravelle, of one of the Nashua companies, but the claim is made that it is justified in face of the attempt of the strikers to prevent all work at the factory.

List of Injured
The following persons are at their homes suffering from Monday's riot: Telko Pakula, 71-2 School street, wounded in leg and neck; Adam Klintvich, 71-2 School street, stab in left side of back; Leon Yoneska, 47 High street, shot in right arm; Zymont Taruski, 27 Iligh street, scalp wound; Stanley Wayland, 4 Harrison street, injured in neck; Eugene Hirschewitz, 41 High street, stabbed in right arm.

The following nine persons have been treated at St. Joseph's hospital for various wounds: Adam Petrovich, 40 Franklin st. Adam Rasavitch, 24 High street. Alexandria Belek, 25 High street. John Kalkavitch, 62 High street. William Walek, 9 Per and street. Frank Stavaski, 34 Court street. Annie Kalkav, 4 Atwood avenue. Mrs. Joseph Vencush, 6 School street. Lewis Koutrovich, 4 William court. Stavask and Koutrovich have been discharged from the hospital. The above list does not include the names of those wounded last evening.

The following are the names of persons arrested during the rioting, all suffering more or less from wounds inflicted by the bayonets of the militiamen and the clubs of the police: Frances Kalkavitch, Sophia Grovitch, Adam Petivitch, John Belopka, Martin Kaspar and John Kawarski.

Petivitch is accused of striking Officer Deau with a club, the only policeman who was injured in Monday's riot.

Two soldiers who have been injured were treated at the military hospital in the mill. A private of one of the militia companies, Albert Gagnon, is at St. Joseph's hospital.

Agent Milliken's Statement
Relative to the serious outbreak which occurred at the Pine street crossing on Monday, Agent Roscoe S. Milliken has given out the following statement to the press: "I regret exceedingly the unfortunate affair; I cannot understand its occurrence, in view of the assurance given me at an interview by Mr. Barry and the strike committee, that matters should remain just as they were, pending this investigation I am making, and it was understood that we were then shipping goods. The policy of this company always has been to treat its operatives with perfect fairness, especially in relation to their wages and the conditions under which they perform their labor. This is the first serious difference the company has had with its employees in the last 25 years. We have always, I believe, paid our operatives as much for the same service as the other mills in New England, and during the 13 years I have been agent of the Nashua Mfg. Co. there has never been a decrease in wages. On the contrary, there have been three straight increases of five per cent. each, and on two occasions the number of hours was decreased while the wages remained the same. "If at any time the other mills of like character in New England ad-

vance their wages, we shall do the same. But the granting of such an increase must always be decided by business conditions.

"Just as soon as I can complete my investigation which was interrupted by the unfortunate occurrence of Monday, I will send a reply to Mr. Barry and the strike committee."

Strike Developments
The Nashua strike started in the dyehouse of the Nashua Mfg. Co., Monday, Oct. 4, when about 100 Polish and Lithuanian employees asked their foreman for an increase of 15 per cent. in wages in the working schedule.

The next day the strike spread to other departments of the mill and resulted in an order for a complete shutdown issued in the afternoon by Agent Roscoe S. Milliken.

Wednesday morning of the same week, saw the first serious clash between the strikers and police, in which nearly every officer who had been assigned to duty was more or less injured, four of them badly and two seriously. Two arrests were made but the cases have been continued daily.

On Wednesday night, acting under the authority of Gov. Spaulding, two Nashua companies of militia were mobilized at the state armory and were later marched to the mill property, where they have since been on guard, held in reserve.

The following day, counsel for the strikers announced that he had been notified that the mill officials would meet him in conference to listen to the demands of the striking employees. This conference was held at 10 o'clock last Saturday morning, when the mill officials took a written digest of the strikers' demands, which were for a 15 per cent. increase in wages and a change in working conditions.

Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, parties of strikers and several sympathizers held up, intimidated and assaulted persons going to the mill with provisions for soldiers.

Shortly before noon on Monday, an attempt on the part of the Nashua Mfg. Co. to ship goods was met by the part of the strikers, many of them women, who sat on the railroad tracks with babies in their arms. The police, being unable to move the crowd, the militia was called out and the most serious riot of the strike resulted.

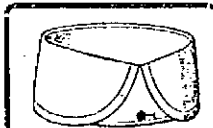
Late yesterday afternoon, another outbreak at the corner of Canal and Tolle streets resulted in two men being rushed to St. Joseph's hospital with long stab wounds. Both men are in serious condition.

Mayor Crowley, in reply to Counsel Barry's letter asking him to use his influence with the company to stop shipping goods, stated that the matter is beyond his jurisdiction.

Mills Brilliantly Lighted
At night the yard of the Nashua Manufacturing Co. resembles a great meadowland, so brilliantly is it lighted. Huge arc lights, patterned after the white way lamps used in this city are arranged in rows at intervals all over the yard, while a strong searchlight on top of one of the buildings throws its rays to every dark corner of the streets in the vicinity of the yard.

At every 50 yards a militiaman is stationed with a bayonet on top of his gun. Militiamen are stationed inside the mill yard and do not come out unless provisions are to be brought in. The soldiers' life is no easy lot, and the men inside the mill yard have not seen their homes for two weeks. If they want food or clothing they have to send to their homes, and whoever delivers such to them at the mill runs a great risk of being assaulted.

Will Join A. F. of L.
Yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the strikers it was decided to form an organization affiliated with the American Federation of Labor and an organizer from Fall River is expected to take charge of the strike tomorrow. Last week Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of this city spent considerable time among the strikers counseling them against violence and advising in its stead thorough organization. It is probable that he will return to Nashua after the adjournment of the United Textile Workers' convention which is being held in New York.



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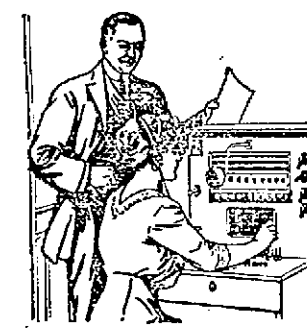
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CHARLEY WHITE WINS SEVERAL GOOD GAMES

OUTPOINTED JOHNNY HARVEY OF NEW YORK IN FAST 12-ROUND BOUT

Charley White of Chicago outpointed Johnny Harvey of New York, at the A. A. of Boston, last night, in the main bout of twelve rounds.

Harvey surprised the boxing fans by giving the hard hitting lightweight from the Windy City a very stiff argument for seven rounds, or until he tired. Then White went to the front and held the lead to the finish.

Harvey did not seem to mind the wallop White handed out, until the last of the eighth round. In this session White started to hit the New Yorker more frequently and at the close of the round had Harvey hanging on the ropes, the bell coming to his rescue and saving him from a kayo punch.

The ninth was also a disastrous one for the Gothamite. Harvey received a lot of punishment in this frame. White staggered him with punches to the head and body, but Johnny gamely stood up and succeeded in weathering the fullscale of punches.

Harvey came back in the next round, the tenth, but not quite enough. White kept tearing in trying to land the finishing blow. Harvey, who was pretty weak, decided to just try and stay the limit and was content to allow White to do the forcing, merely blocking and sending over an occasional left jab to his opponent's face, which sent White's head back when it connected.

Quite a few of the fans howled for a draw, but Referee Charles White of New York was justified in awarding the verdict to his namesake from Chicago. Harvey made a fine impression on the Boston sports and would draw a good house should he come again.

The weights were announced. White weighing in under the limit, 135 pounds at three o'clock, while Harvey upped the beam at 135 1/2 at three o'clock and said he would weigh 137 at eight he would waive the weight question, but at eight o'clock Harvey weighed 140. White then announced he would box rather than disappoint the crowd of 2500 which turned out to see the mill.

George Alder defeated Walter Butler in the semi-welterweight eighth round. Alder's ring generalship proved too big an obstacle for the Revere boy to hurdle and he lost the decision. In the curtain raiser, Kid Thomas of Lawrence defeated Young Cooper of Providence and in the other preliminary, Mike Crowley, the ex-ammateur champion, gave another wonderful exhibition of boxing, flogging Gus Murphy in a six-rounder.

Ringside Gleanings

Larry Burns challenged the winner of the big bout and received a good hand from the fans. Larry is popular at Boston. Burns has again deserted Jack Wagner and Joe McCarthy of South Boston is now handling the affairs of the North Andover boy. Larry has bouts in prospect at Lawrence and New Bedford.

Babe Christo of this city will meet Al Nelson of Manchester in the semi-final bout at Jim Crowley's Lawrence club on Wednesday afternoon. Christo will start training at once for he realizes that a win over Nelson will land him some good bouts this winter.

Joe Mandot will try his skill against that wonderful English boxer Ted ("Kid") Lewis at the next show of the Atlas A. A. on next Tuesday evening. Mandot beat Young Saylor at Boston last year and the directors of the club intend to hold the option to hold the Briton in check. We doubt very much if he can do it.

Phinney Boyle, the local fighter, has a hard row to hoe tomorrow evening at Lawrence when he tackles Harry Carlson of Brockton. The Brockton sports claim that their man will whip Boyle as decisively as he did Babe Canto, whom he stopped in two rounds Monday night. They also state that they will back Carlson to the limit. Carlson is a great performer, fast, very shifty and can punch like a mid-dleweight and if he doesn't beat Phinney he will be a much disappointed boxer. Boyle is also going great guns, beating Young Chakas in five rounds a week ago Tuesday.

Al Shubert will probably fight Jack ("Kid") Wolfe at Lawrence at the show following the Boyle-Carlson battle. Wolfe has always given Shubert a good run for high honors and says that he will not box the Whaling City boy this time, but fight him. If this happens, the members are in for a fine line of battling.

CUBS' MANAGER MIXED UP

Roger Breenahan, Accused of Responsibility in Crash Driving an Auto, Goes to the Wrongs Court

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Injuries suffered by Roger Breenahan, manager of the Chicago Nationals, in an automobile accident Monday night, were given as a reason for his failure to appear in court here yesterday to answer charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated and of assault with another automobile.

The charges were preferred by Richard P. Smiddy, a contractor, who, with his wife, suffered injuries also said to be serious enough to keep them out of court.

Smiddy charged that a buggy in which they were riding was struck by a motor car driven by the Cubs' manager.

Pres. Thomas of the Chicago Nationals appeared in Breenahan's place and told the court that the manager's injuries would prevent him attending. Bonds were fixed and the case was set for Nov. 4 in the municipal court.

Later Judge Sabath in the municipal court said that Breenahan had gone to another court by mistake when the case was called, and that he later appeared before him and asked for an early trial so that he might return to his Toledo home.

STOP POST SEASON TOURS

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The post season tour of picked teams of the American and National leagues which opened today at Oshkosh, Wis., will be the last in which American league players will be allowed to take part.

President B. B. Johnson of the American league, in making this announcement today said that the players' association had agreed to the American league organization were a "broke team" and that the practice of continuing baseball half through the winter was an injury to the sport and to the players themselves.

"The only way to increase the public's interest in baseball," President Johnson said, "is to reduce the quantity and improve the quality."

The club owners, although opposed to their players making post-season tours, preferred to give a reluctant consent rather than make an individual stand against B. B. Johnson said. Consequently the national commission will draft legislation to forestall plans for future post-season tours.

TO DISPOSE OF THE CHICAGO CUBS TO CHAS. WEGMANN OF THE CHICAGO FEDERAL CLUB

But my colleagues are of the opinion that in their sentiments. They will not harbor in their ranks any of the opposition which, wittingly or not, has done much to discredit the game."

That sentiment was interpreted at first as the first general indication of a peace move, was arranged by a certain element of the National league which favors a speedy ending of the baseball war. On excellent authority it was learned that the peace propaganda was launched through fraternal influences. Many of the leading players of both organized and independent baseball are brother Elks of high standing. President John K. Tener of the National league, Chairman August Herrmann of the National commission and the all-star grand exalted rulers of the B.P.O.E.

Herrmann from the first has favored a dignified peace. It was he who tried to engineer the deal that might have given the Cubs to Wegmann. Herrmann has won over to his ways of thinking a National league official, William F. Baker and James E. Gaffney now champion the idea of a merger, it is said. Gaffney, it will be remembered, took the trouble to show the Federal general staff his new park before it was opened formally. According to the board of strategy of the Gaffney faction, it is to receive preference in the awarding of the contract for the proposed new Federal league plant in New York.

Another faction of the National league is as strongly opposed to all idea of compromise. This is headed by Charles H. Ebbets, Glenney Dreyfus and Harry N. Hempstead.

"I would demystify Forbes and get out of the game before I would sell my Pittsburgh interests to any Federal league promoter," says Barney Dreyfus. Ebbets is every bit as emphatic in the expression of his loyalty to the organized cause.

"Therefore, if peace ensues in the near future, it is quite likely to result from that portion of the National league club owners whose sympathies have been reached through fraternal channels. At most, there is no more than a financial power behind the outlaws, according to gossip—the Ward Brothers, Harry Sinclair, Ed Gwinn and the Stifel-Ball interests of St. Louis. These might be accommodated with National league franchises. Gossip has it that Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis clubs are in the market. They it is intimated that James E. Gaffney would consent to dispose of a half interest in the Braves.

A merger between the National and Federal leagues by allowing the financial powers of the latter to become interested operators of the former season just now the only chance for speedy ending to the baseball war. Ben Johnson is still the dominating power of the American league, and Ben Johnson in his heart of hearts believes he has the independents whipped. He will bend none from his antagonistic attitude. But he will not oppose the merger of the National and Federal interests. For in that case the rival National league would have to shoulder all the responsibilities and inconveniences of reconstruction.

Circuit changes in the International league are contemplated which should result in the most association for another about fight through 1916. From an authoritative source it has been learned that the Barrow enterprise intends to drop Harrisburg, Pa., and Richmond, Va., from its membership before the opening of the 1916 campaign. According to present plans, Hartford, Conn. and Springfield, Mass., will be substituted to maintain an eight-club organization. Springfield and Hartford would give a much better territorial balance on account of Montreal's location.

The fans of Tacoma, Wash., have organized a hot dog association known as the American Night league. Periodic smokers are held at which the members impersonate the prominent characters of the circuit of which the Red Sox are champions.

A program of the inaugural annual banquet was received by Bill Donovan, the enterprising impresario. Ben Johnson, Billy Evans, Clarence Rowland, Clark Griffith, Bill Carrigan, Hugh Jennings, Donovan, Rickey, Kohl and others.

Secretary John B. Foster of the Giants denied emphatically a story sent out from Chicago to the effect that Larry Doyle would figure in a trade for Heine Zimmerman.

"That is a damned lie," said John. "The club never have branched a trade of any kind."

MORAN BEATS COFFEY

DUBLIN GIANT PET AWAY IN THIRD ROUND—WINNER EARNS RIGHT TO FIGHT WILLARD

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Frank Moran of Pittsburgh technically knocked out Jim Coffey, the Dublin giant, in the third round of their scheduled 10 round fight at Madison square garden last night. The round had gone one minute and 28 seconds when Moran flashed out a desperate right hand swing which caught Coffey flush on the jaw.

His mouth flew open, his eyes assumed a glassy glare and he dropped helplessly to the floor. After a desperate struggle with him, he regained his feet at the end of eight seconds, and staggered toward the ropes, which he seized to keep himself upright.

The referee sprang to his assistance, but he was not quick enough, for Moran, who was following closely on his heels, crashed over another right swing to Coffey's jaw.

The Dublin giant stiffened as one suddenly receiving an electric shock, and stood frozen against the ropes while Bill Brown, the referee, motioned Moran to his corner. Brown then proceeded to escort the dazed Coffey to his corner, Moran meanwhile dancing about in a frantic fever to get another wallop at his victim. However, the third was over.

Billy Gibson, manager of Coffey, was desperately wrought up over the sudden termination of the bout. He declared that his man was up before the count of 10 had been tolled off and was not again knocked down. He asserted that the Dublin Giant was on his feet when the count was officially terminated and that still have been able to redeem his life.

While he may be technically correct, it was patent to all present that Coffey was about through and would not have been able to go with the fight. Moran was victorious and his victory was a victory to his superior management. Coffey was the aggressor at the beginning of the bout, but Moran, conserving his strength, waited for the opportune moment.

The first round began with Coffey rushing at Moran with a right uppercut to the pituitary gland and a left jab to his stomach. Moran struck few effective blows in this round.

Coffey's long reach kept Moran away at the beginning of the second round.

The Pittsburgher, however, adopting glancing tactics, sent a right to Coffey's ribs and a right to the Dublin giant's head. These blows forced Coffey to the ropes, where Moran then sent three successive rights to his head. Coffey appeared very weak as the bell rang.

Moran got a hard right to the body and a right to the third round. At close range he shot two punches and a left to Coffey's face. His next blow was a right to the jaw, and Coffey went down.

By his victory Moran earned the right to meet Jess Willard, the holder of the world's heavyweight championship. It was announced before the fight that Willard would meet the victor.

BROCKTON TO LOSE FIELD

S. D. Flanagan Plans Real Estate Development on School and Colonial League Grounds

BROCKTON, Oct. 20.—If Stephen D. Flanagan, owner of the Center street baseball grounds, carries out his plans, the high school football team will have no inclosed field for the rest of the season, as Mr. Flanagan intends to begin early next month on a scheme to develop house lots on the grounds.

Mr. Flanagan contends that the Colonial league, which leased the grounds from him and then sub-leased them to the school board, has not lived up to its agreement. He tried to collect rent from the school, but failed, as the high school authorities had hired the ground from the Colonial league and felt that they should pay the league and not Mr. Flanagan.

The school board will probably take steps to secure the athletic field for high school athletics, a plan that has been under consideration for many years.

FEELS WILL MISS WARD

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league, speaking yesterday of the death of Edward H. Ward, vice president of the independent organization and owner of the Brookfields, said:

"The Federal league has lost one of its staunchest supporters in the death of Mr. Ward, but the future plans and policies of our organization have been so completely formulated during his life-time that they will be carried to completion."

The officers of the Federal league will be closed until Friday. Ward's funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from his estate, Homewood, New Rochelle. All the club owners of the Federal league will attend.

DENIES SALE OF CUBS

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 20.—Charles F. Taft, owner of the majority stock of the Chicago National league baseball club, denied emphatically here today the report that the club had been sold.

TOMMY BURNS' WIFE ILL

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 20.—A fashionably dressed young woman whose identity had puzzled the police and authorities at a hospital here to which she was admitted early yesterday in a delirious condition, was identified last night by Tommy Burns, formerly heavyweight champion of the world as his wife. Burns said she had not fully recovered from the shock of a recent illness. Mrs. Burns disappeared from her home here Monday night.

WOMAN LEADS CLASS

DORCHESTER GIRL IS LEADER AT THE BOSTON UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—To lead a class of more than 100, the great majority of which is comprised of men, is the distinction of Miss Rebecca Thurman of Dorchester, a student of Boston University Law school. Three other modern law school graduates shared honors in their fight for standing against the male attorneys in embryo.

When the standing of last year was announced, Miss Thurman's name occupied the most conspicuous place on the list. She ranked highest, with an average of 88 per cent.

An equally phenomenal feature in the announcement was the fact that the faculty's decision on the law school's best student from every angle and viewpoint gave Richard Donovan of Cambridge that distinction. It was phenomenal because of the fact that Donovan, besides attending law school is employed by Uncle Sam as a clerk in charge of the registration section at the Boston postoffice. With this honor he won a prize of \$100.

Donovan's feat has become the wonder of the class of 1917. He is defying all laws laid down by the medical profession as far as the sleeping requirements of a human being is concerned—but four hours of his daily program being allotted for that luxury. He is employed nights at the postoffice. Here is his program for a day:

Ten p. m. to 5 a. m. on duty at post office.

Seven a. m. to 11 a. m. "wasted" on sleep.

Twelve-fifteen to 4 p. m. attending lectures at B. U.

Four p. m. to 10 p. m. devoted to study in the B. U. library.

Somewhere in this schedule he finds time to eat.

The other three young women who won distinction in their class are Miss Helen Imman Blumling of Providence, Miss Frederica Harrison Gilbert of Auburndale and Miss Ethel Frances

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GERMANS BREAK LEAVE

THREE OFFICERS OF INTERMED CRUISER EITEL MISSING—POLICE ORDERED TO ARREST THEM

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Breaking of leave by three officers of the crew of the interned German auxiliary cruiser Eitel Friedrich was reported to the navy department yesterday by Rear Admiral Beatty, commander of the Norfolk navy yard. The officers, Lieut. Koch and Drs. Kruger and Kroenke, were back aboard their ship Sunday afternoon when they failed to appear. The cruiser's captain notified Admiral Beatty.

The chief of police of Norfolk and nearby cities have been asked to arrest the missing men. All three are said to have been seen in Newport News Sunday.

These officers were granted shore liberty before the issuance of an order last week that all members of the crews of both the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and Kronprinz Wilhelm should be kept aboard the ships at the navy yard until the absence of six sailors from the latter vessel was accounted for.

The sailors obtained leave for a sail on a power boat they had purchased and are believed now to be making their way down the Atlantic coast.

TO NOTIFY GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Germany's intention probably will be called officially to the two commissioned officers and six warrant officers of the interned German commerce raiders at the Norfolk navy yard who have broken parole. Acting Secretary Roosevelt of the navy will discuss with Secretary Lansing today what steps to be taken.

Traces have been found of Lieut. Koch and Dr. Kruger. Kroenke of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, who have overstayed their leave from the ship for four days. They were seen in Newport News and Norfolk last Sunday, but officials have been unable to find any trace of them since. Neither has the yacht Etilope, on which six warrant officers from the Kronprinz Wilhelm put to sea, been found. It has been currently reported in Norfolk that the men on the Etilope were taken on a Swedish steamer outside the capes and that the yacht was sunk.

Whether action of the state department may decide upon no more of the German sailors will have an opportunity to escape. The crews of both ships now are strictly confined to their vessels, and, if necessary will be transferred to guarded buildings ashore.

41ST BIENNIAL SESSION

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES OPENS AT NEW HAVEN

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 20.—The national council of Congregational churches will begin its 41st biennial session here today with Rev. Charles H. Top of the Yale divinity school of religion and moderator of the council, presiding.

The first session of the council this afternoon will receive reports of officers and committees but will delay discussion of these until later. Before rising it will probably elect officers.

The committee on international council in its report gave the opinion that 1915 is too early for the council to meet, and recommended 1920, which is the ten-tercentary of the handling of the Pilgrims.

The temperance commission in its report said that the temperance cause had on seven league boots, adding "in the past two years it has made rapid forward strides."

"Good hath made the wrath of men to praise him. The motto of Europe's military leaders appears to be 'Trust in God and keep Your Army Dry.'"

The church building society reported financial prosperity with biennial receipts of \$400,350, or \$25,635 more than for the preceding period. Churches and parsonages erected cost \$502,011.

The commission on evangelism reported that additions to churches on conversion of faith were 9900 more in 1914 than the average of previous years.

PAYS \$83,500.02

Mrs. Marie A. Evans' Tax Bill Largest in Second—Shoe Machinery Company Severely With \$27,516

BEVERLY, Oct. 20.—Mrs. Marie A. Evans, widow of Robert D. Evans of Boston, Hall, Hospital Point, is the largest taxpayer in the city. She pays \$83,500.02, the pays more than 11 per cent. of the total amount raised by the tax levy of the city.

The United Shoe Machinery company pays the largest corporation tax, its bill footing up to \$25,516.02. The Beverly and Electric company is a close second, paying \$15,000.00.

Quincy A. Shaw, trustee under the will of John A. Shaw, pays \$26,325.47. Frederick Ayer of Frides' Crossing \$18,026.68 and Henry Clay Fick of New York \$10,636.92.

Margaret Haley, business agent of the Teachers' Federation of Chicago, has been chosen a member of the executive committee of the Chicago Federation of Labor. Her vote was the largest of anyone who was opposed for election.

DEFEATED BY 50,000

Large Majority Against Woman Suffrage in New Jersey—Carried but One County

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 20.—Latest returns today on the state election yesterday indicate that the proposed amendment to the constitution granting suffrage to women was defeated by a majority of more than 50,000. Returns from 1675 out of 1894 election districts give 133,657 votes for and 157,515 against the amendment.

Ocean county is apparently the only county the suffragists carried, the majority being 300.

Notwithstanding the tremendous majority against suffrage—greater even than that of the landslide that carried Woodrow Wilson into office as governor in 1910—women workers for the cause said today that far from being dismayed they were buoyed up by greater zeal than ever. Before the last of their heavy-eyed watchers had fled her disheartening story, plans were already under way to stir the state with a campaign which, if successful, would give women the vote in selecting presidential electors next spring.

Two weeks yet remain before the general election at which will be elected the entire membership of the lower house of the legislature and one-third of the senate. A canvass of all candidates for the legislature with a view to landing them as far as possible against woman suffrage next spring would be determined on at once, it was thought. By pledging a majority of the candidates to give them the ballot in voting for presidential electors it was believed that the adoption by the legislature of a resolution to this effect could be secured. Suffrage workers claim that the legislature has the power to say who shall vote for presidential electors.

Now that the election is history the suffrage leaders do not hesitate to declare that days before the polls opened they considered the suffrage cause an exceedingly uphill fight, very doubtful of victory. Success at yesterday's election would have amazed some of their most enthusiastic workers. The leaders, therefore, were not greatly surprised at the result. On the contrary they seemed today to be pleased with the fact that probably 150,000 voters in the state are on record as favoring their cause.

The anti-suffragists profess to see in yesterday's result a settlement for years to come of the agitation for woman suffrage in New Jersey. They are elated over the result. Under the state constitution as it stands today, the suffrage amendment cannot be placed again before the electorate for five years.

Among the honorary degrees conferred were the following:

Doctor of Science, Henry Fay, professor of analytical chemistry, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Doctor of Laws, Winston Churchill, Cornish, N. H. author.

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There are really only three kinds of human stomach. The healthy normal stomach which painlessly digests most everything; the stomach which lacks sufficient digestive juices to properly take care of food and the stomach which generates too much acid. The latter class is far in the majority and probably nine out of ten people suffer more or less at times, after eating, from sour burning sensation in the stomach, bloating, belching gas, etc. These are certain indications of a strongly acid stomach and the condition can be best and most safely, easily and quickly corrected by taking a teaspoonful of pure bismarck magnesia in a quarter glass of hot water, or by swallowing a couple of bismarck magnesia tablets. Magnesia in its various forms has many medical purposes, but as an antacid and stomachic it is probably the best of all remedies for indigestion and acid stomach. It is a powerful laxative and its action is so gentle that it can be taken at any time, in any place, without the least inconvenience. It is a powerful laxative and its action is so gentle that it can be taken at any time, in any place, without the least inconvenience. It is a powerful laxative and its action is so gentle that it can be taken at any time, in any place, without the least inconvenience.

AT LAFAYETTE COLLEGE

DR. JOHN HENRY MACCRACKEN INAGURATED AS PRESIDENT OF LAFAYETTE COLLEGE

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 20.—In the presence of many notables in the educational, social and business world, Dr. John Henry MacCracken was today inaugurated as the ninth president of Lafayette college. Israel F. Parker of Hazleton, Pa., president of the board of trustees of Lafayette, presided at the exercises and besides Dr. MacCracken's financial address Judge Elliott B. Gary of New York city also spoke.

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CITY HALL NEWS

Removal of Turrets and Wall at the Memorial Building

After the municipal council had disposed of the Memorial building pipe-tapping proposition today, it turned its attention to the work of removing the turrets and wall on the Colburn street side of the Memorial building. It will be remembered that Mathias Connor, who has the brick contract on the building, was allowed \$500 for the removal of the turrets and wall and the council, later, rescinded its action. In reply to a question as to whether or not \$500 was a reasonable price for the removal of the turrets and wall, Architect Stedman gave his opinion that the price was very reasonable, that it would be necessary to use a derrick and that the work would be quite expensive. That settled it. Mr. Putnam was told to allow Mr. Connor to go ahead with the work. It was stated at the meeting of the council yesterday that Mr. Connor had already completed at least half of the work of removing the turrets and wall, but that was a misstatement.

Committeeman Morse says that if the municipal council will give him \$1000 he will rebuild Pawtucket bridge. "If I had \$1000 to spare I would fix the bridge," he said, "but my street maintenance appropriation will not stand for it. I'm afraid a team will go through there some day."

Building Permits
Patrick Farrell has been granted a permit for the erection of a dwelling at 75 Hudson street. The building will be 25 by 30 feet, 1 room, 1 bath and reception hall, 2 1/2 stories, and the estimated cost is \$3000.
A building permit has been granted Harry W. Kittredge for the erection of a garage, 12 by 18 feet, 1 story, at Jonness street.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

PROBABLE ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICERS AS RESULT OF RECENT EXAMINATION

The result of the examination in which eligible members of the Lowell High school regiment competed for officers' positions has been made known and while the official list of the officers has not yet been made public by the school faculty, the candidates themselves are aware of the successful ones. Yesterday the examination papers were returned for examination so that the boys could protest any mark that they desired. By comparing the marks on the papers the highest eight have been ascertained. The probable assignment of officers will be as follows: Colonel, Herbert Kerrigan; first major, Raymond Bourgeois; second major, Walter L'Esperance; third major, Edward Sullivan; third major, Fred Thomas; regimental adjutant, Reginald B. Nichols; quartermaster, William L. Barofsky; senior captain, Alfred Fletcher. The successful candidates for minor officers have not yet been ascertained.

SOLOMON D. ATWOOD DEAD

NEW BOSTON, N. H., Oct. 20.—Solomon D. Atwood, one of the most prominent residents of Southern New Hampshire, died at his home here at the age of 76.

Mr. Atwood was born in Hillsboro, being the child of Rev. John Atwood, who was for many years pastor of the Baptist church in New Boston. In February, 1854, he married Florence Adelaide Dodge of Franconstown. Ten children were born to them, six of whom, with their mother, survive.

Mr. Atwood was appointed postmaster in the administration of Abraham Lincoln and resigned last spring. He was postmaster all those years except during the Cleveland administration. He kept a general merchandise store.

ADOPTED HUSBAND'S NURSE

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—The infatuation of 70-year-old Mrs. Mary Jane Cooke of Cambridge for her late husband's 37-year-old nurse led her to remark that she would have to marry or adopt him, but that she preferred adoption, according to testimony brought out in the suit of the nurse, Thelma E. Cooke, in the supreme judicial court at East Cambridge yesterday.

Cooke, whose name was Pedersen originally, is fighting the revocation of a decision allowing his adoption, and now has a suit against Thomas J. Emery of Cambridge, executor of Mrs. Cooke's estate, for \$20,000.

Mrs. Cooke, who died in 1912, was the widow of the Rev. Henry A. Cooke, and according to one of the witnesses had stated that she never knew what love was until Pedersen came into her life.

MERCANTILE BOWLING LEAGUE

The Mercantile Bowling league will start its season Thursday evening at 8 o'clock on Kittredge's alley. Great interest has been taken in this league and some very fine exhibitions of bowling are expected. Games will be played every Thursday evening, four teams on first floor and four on the second.

The officers of the league are Morton Walker, president; Peter J. Corcoran, secretary; Mr. Hebert, treasurer.

Price committee: Mr. Sully, Mr. O'Loughran, Mr. Moore.

DOCTOR NOT UNDERTAKER

JUDGE MORTON'S ADVICE WHEN BUSINESS GETS SICK—SAYS THAT FAILURES ARE NEEDLESS

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—"When a man's business gets sick, send for a doctor, not an undertaker," said Judge James M. Morton Jr. of the United States district court last evening at the monthly dinner of the Boston Credit Men's association at Young's hotel, where he was a guest.

Judge Morton was appealing for more of the spirit of cooperation and less of competition among business men, declaring that many men in financial difficulty could be saved from bankruptcy if more efficient methods of settlement were adopted.

He said among other things that most failures are not due to hereditary defects in the business, but to perhaps only one instance, but judgment that might have been corrected without ruining the business. He believed that modern business men ought to be tolerant and save a man from bankruptcy.

To that end he advised that the credit men, or some other business organization, put a list of names to investigate every business that gets into financial trouble, try to ascertain just what is the seat of the trouble, whether mistaken judgment in buying or some equally simple reason, and then try to keep the proprietor out of the bankruptcy court by giving him advice and assistance to help him build up his business.

"Help out the fellow before he fails," said the judge. "To close out a business often means wiping out the result of a great deal of labor and ability that have been put into it."

If a business must be closed out, he said, an expert should be obtained for trustee, and he should be paid a fair price for his service. He cited an instance, which he declared typical, of many others, in which at one stage of affairs the stock could have been sold for \$5000, yet later a young lawyer, who worked on commission, was able to get only \$1500 for the very same stock to settle a case like that is responsible for a great deal of loss to creditors, he declared.

O.M.I. CADETS MEETING

IMPORTANT BUSINESS TO BE DISCUSSED AT SCHOOL HALL TONIGHT

An important meeting of the O.M.I. Cadets will be held in their armory, the Immaculate Conception school hall, at 7:15 o'clock tonight. Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I. chaplain, will address the young soldiers and assist them in making plans for the year ahead. On Oct. 31 a memorial mass will be celebrated for the deceased members of the organization and all the cadets will attend in full dress. The matter of making Wednesday the regular drill night will be taken up tonight, along with several other matters, and Fr. Sullivan is anxious to have all members present.

AGRICULTURISTS ASTONISHED

LONDON, October.—Jack's celebrated beanstalk is likely to be pulled by Prof. W. B. Bottomley, who has astonished agriculturists here with plants grown in peat treated with bacteria. He believes that the same process can be applied to wheat growing as well.

Prof. Bottomley of King's college in the Strand, has been conducting his experiments on the roof of his college building, the very heart of London. The method by which he doubles and trebles the size of plants and their fruit was the result of a long line of experiments. He started inoculating the soil with a culture of bacteria obtained from the root of leguminous plants. Soil so treated, it was found, greatly increased the nitrogenous matter in the earth and produced more nodules on the roots. Peat was found to be the best medium for the bacteria.

From 18 plants fed on the bacterial-treated peat, Prof. Bottomley cut 72 cucumbers weighing a pound each after a 20 days' growth. Sixteen pounds of tomatoes were taken from one vine. There are thousands of acres of peat in Ireland which could be treated in this manner and at least double the productivity of the soil, said the professor. "Incidentally, it would give Ireland a new industry, for its practical inexhaustible supplies of peat would provide all that is required for the best of the United Kingdom."

LAKE MOHONK CONFERENCE

LAKE MOHONK, Oct. 20.—The 33d Lake Mohonk conference on the Indian and other dependent peoples, opened today. Samuel A. Eliot of Boston, member of the United States board of Indian commissioners, presided. O. H. Lippis, superintendent of the Carlisle Indian school, spoke of the difficulty in making the Indians stick to their farm work.

Other speakers today were Frederick A. Cleveland, director of the New York bureau of municipal research; Arthur C. Parker, New York state archaeologist and secretary of the Society of American Indians; Robert G. Valentine, former commissioner of Indian affairs; J. Weston Allen, Boston member of the Boston Indian citizenship committee and Jewell D. Martin, supervisor of the United States Indian service in charge of the Fort Belknap agency at Harlem.

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DESCRIBES SUFFERING

LETTER TELLS OF EXPERIENCES OF ARMENIAN REFUGEES WHO FLED FROM VAN

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—The suffering of Armenian refugees who left the city of Van, Asiatic Turkey, after its evacuation by the Russians, is described in a letter received here by Miss Koharik Hederian, an Armenian girl, and made public today by Miss Alice Stone Blackwell. The letter, written by a teacher at Van stated that the entire population left the city, mostly afoot and with limited food supply, in the mad rush to find shelter and protection.

"My sister-in-law, my wife and I, with babies in our arms," the teacher wrote, "and my son and daughter, nine and 12 years of age respectively, walked for 12 days. Frequently we were unable to obtain food; we slept in the open until we finally reached a hospital at Echmiadzin, although we could not remain there because of its crowded condition. Thousands of children were separated from their parents, many of whom died of starvation."

The letter stated that more than 100,000 Armenians had escaped into Russia from Turkey and Persia.

52 KILLED; 100 INJURED

EXPLOSION IN FACTORY IN THE RUE DE TOBIAC, SAYS PARIS—BUILDING WRECKED

PARIS, Oct. 20, 4:55 p. m.—Fifty-two persons are reported to have been killed in an explosion this afternoon in a factory in the Rue de Tobiac, while 100 or more were injured.

Many of the victims were women workers in the factory, which was wrecked, as were buildings in the vicinity. President Poincaré and Minister of the Interior, who were immediately informed of the disaster, visited the scene and gave directions to the rescuing forces.

BLIND SOLDIERS AS DIVERS

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Deep-water diving is one of the trades for which blinded soldiers may fit themselves, writes C. Arthur Pearson, chairman of the blinded soldiers and sailors' care committee. He says:

"Diving is, I think, a quite new occupation for blind people. The diver who is building breakwaters and piers works in the dark, for even if the water is clear his work disturbs it and renders it impossible for him to see anything through it. The diver is one of the few blind workers. He has an attendant to look after him while below and when he returns to the surface, and the occupation is one which I think will prove to be extremely suitable for intelligent blind soldiers and sailors who have had some mechanical training."

MATRIMONIAL

John J. Manning and Miss Edith Cox were married Monday afternoon at St. Michael's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Henry Talbot. The bride wore white messaline and carried roses. She was attended by Miss Marion C. Cox, who wore white crepe de chine and carried carnation pinks. The best man was James W. Manning. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, in Ennells street. Dinner was served and a musical program was enjoyed. The happy couple left in the evening on a wedding tour to Washington, D. C. Upon their return they will make their home in Ennells street.

Bergerson—Boucher

A pretty marriage took place this morning at St. Louis church, when Edward J. Bergerson, the well known co-proprietor of the New System Laundry, and Miss Maria G. Boucher, a charming young resident of West Centralville, were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at 9 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. B. LaBrosse. The bride was becomingly attired in white satin trimmed with duchess lace and pearls. Her veil was caught with lilies of the valley and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. She was attended by her brother, George H. Boucher, while the bridegroom's witness was also his brother, Albert Bergerson. At the close of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Arthur Gaudette, 125 Walnut street, which had been handsomely decorated with palms, autumn leaves and yellow chrysanthemums, where a family dinner was served, this being followed by a brief reception. Mr. and Mrs. Bergerson, who were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts, including cut glass, silverware, china and furniture, left on the noon train for New York, Philadelphia and Washington. After Dec. 1, they will be at home to their friends at 120 Mt. Washington street. No cards.

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LATE WAR NEWS

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term 5-1-2 per cent. internal loan of \$500,000,000, a Petrograd announcement.

Why Carson Quit Cabinet

The resignation of Sir Edward Carson from the attorney generalship in the British cabinet was due to a divergence of views with regard to near eastern affairs, he announced in the house of commons today.

Turks Join Bulgarians

Turkish forces are to cooperate with the Bulgarians in opposing the allied operations in the Balkans, Athens advises state. Turkish troops, it is reported, are being concentrated near Paderbach on the Aegean sea. The landing of an allied force at Enos, near Dedeagatch, was reported recently.

Bulgarians on Rumanian Front

Bulgarian troops are being concentrated on the frontiers of both Rumania and Greece, according to a Saloniki despatch to Paris. These divisions are being gathered near the Greek border, it is stated.

Diplomatic Corps Held at Nish

Cutting the Nish-Saloniki railway line south of Nish by the Bulgarians has compelled the diplomatic corps at Nish to postpone its expected departure for Monastir, an Athens despatch states.

New Attack on Montenegro

Reports from German sources received in London are that 20,000 Austro-German infantrymen, together with an artillery force, have been sent from Galicia to Bosnia in preparation for an advance into Montenegro.

EIGHT BULGARIAN FORCES HAVE CROSSED INTO SERBIAN TERRITORY

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Latest reports from the near east indicate that Serbia is in deadly danger of being overwhelmed by the armies of her neighbor. No less than eight Bulgarian forces have crossed into Serbian territory.

The Austro-German forces are advancing slowly but steadily, their latest claim being that a junction has been effected to the west of Semendria. The railroad between Nish and Saloniki has been cut by the Bulgarians, sweeping over the frontier in superior numbers. No news has been received of the movements of the Anglo-French army, although it is known to have been in action, as the arrival of French wounded at Saloniki has been reported.

Italy to Join Balkan Campaign

Italy's declaration of war against Bulgaria increases the hopes of her allies that she will join in the Balkan campaign, but what form her assistance will take has not been indicated definitely. Russia, the first of the allied powers to present an ultimatum to Bulgaria, now finds herself alone in not having issued a formal declaration of war against her former protegee.

On the Eastern Front

Along the eastern front activity is confined to the few tips of the long battle line. The Germans are pressing their offensive in the northern area, near Riga, while Gen. Ivanoff claims successes for his Russian army in Galicia.

Germans in West Reinforced

Reports from the entente allies on the western front indicate that the Germans have been reinforced heavily and are showing a disposition to assume the offensive. Field Marshal French announces the complete repulse, north of Loos, of Germans who made an attack after heavy artillery preparation. Paris reports that east of Rheims the Germans made an attack on a large scale, occupying several French trenches.

Illness of Asquith Bring Lull

The illness of Premier Asquith has brought a lull in political activity and the crisis which many persons expected would develop in the cabinet this week is hardly likely to occur until the premier is able to appear in the house of commons. At that time Sir Edward Carson may give a public explanation of his resignation of the attorney generalship.

Allied Submarines Active

British submarines, now reported to have been reinforced by Russian craft, continue to inflict severe losses on German shipping in the Baltic sea. A Copenhagen despatch asserts that eight submarines have been prey of the submarines since Monday.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF

Manifesto by czar announces Russia draws her sword against Bulgaria. Belief in England that allies plan to press Dardanelles campaign harder than ever.

Berlin announces capture of Russian positions south of Riga, and that Tenthons are winning on the Styrr river. No troops have been sent away from Gallipoli peninsula.

Anglo-French army advances into Serbia by forced marches. Bulgarians capture Vranza, on Saloniki-Nish railway; Austrians take Obrenovatz.

German assaults on six mile front east of Rheims and northeast of Souchez completely repulsed, says Paris. Sir John French reports British repelled a heavy German attack.

Y. M. C. I. MEETING

Tomorrow night will be a big night at the quarters of the Y. M. C. I. in St. Stephen street, the occasion being the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. I. and the statement of President John H. Sica is to be credited, the affair will be a grand success. The idea of holding "open house" to the members and their friends originated years back, and many new members were gained by the innovation.

Sun Flower Seed

Per Pound, 12c
3 Pounds, 30c

Ervin E. Smith Co.
43-49 MARKET STREET

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Continued

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Labor Forward Committee

The labor forward committee held a well attended and interesting session last night in Trades & Labor hall and went over a list of important business matters. A number of committees submitted favorable reports and several communications were read and referred to the secretary for disposal.

Brewery Teamsters

The Brewery Teamsters' union held a largely attended meeting in Cotton Spinners' hall last night, previous to the meeting of the Machinists' committee, and transacted a list of routine business. Following the business session an address on organization was made by Organizer Charles Morris of the Hatters' union.

Tonight's Meetings

Tonight's calendar is as follows: Carpenters' union, local 1610, Runels building; Hing Spinners Carders association, 32 Middle street; Pavers and Ramblers' union, Trades & Labor hall.

Routine meetings were held last night by Leather Workers' union and Street Railway Men's union, local 551.

Carpenters' Union, Local 40
A meeting of Carpenters' union, local

49, was held last night in the union quarters, Runels building, with President McFadden in the chair. Two new members were admitted and several applications for membership were received. Business Agent Michael A. Lee submitted his regular weekly report which showed the majority of the members to be steadily employed.

Blacksmiths to Organize
On Friday night a meeting for employed blacksmiths will be held in Trades & Labor hall for the purpose of forming an organization among the local craft which has none. The blacksmiths employed in the Bullerica car shops have a union, but there has never been a similar organization in Lowell. International Vice President F. C. Bolan and other prominent labor men are expected to come to Lowell to address this meeting.

Labor Workers' Wedge
The flying wedge of the labor workers for equal suffrage arrived in Lowell this forenoon as per schedule and immediately got busy and addressed two audiences at the mill gates. The party represents the Political Equality union and travels under the name of the "Wage Women's Wedge."

The group consisted of three women, who are touring under the direction of Mr. William Francke of the moving picture operators' union. He has credentials from the Massachusetts Federation of Labor. The three women, in the party are: Miss Marion B. Han-

ford of the Boston Street Carman's union, Miss Leone Baker of the Boot & Shoe Workers' union and Miss Julia O'Connor of the Telephone operators' union.

This noon addresses were given at the gate of the Massachusetts mill and at the entrance to the Saco-Lowell machine shops, the speakers presenting their arguments in a convincing and forceful manner. Despite the drizzling rain they tacked from their automobiles and succeeded in holding the attention of good sized audiences.

Tonight two meetings will be held on the down town streets.

SEN. H. F. HOLLIS' REPLY

CONSENTS TO SEPARATION AND CONCEDES TO WIFE THE CUSTODY OF DAUGHTER

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 20.—United States Senator Henry F. Hollis has sent from Bay of Islands, N. F., his reply to the bill filed by his wife asking for legal separation and maintenance. He consents to separation without contest, concedes to his wife the custody of their daughter, Anne, and asks the court to fix the amount to be paid Mrs. Hollis for maintenance. He says that his sole income is his senatorial salary of \$7500 a year.

DISARM PEACEFULLY IN HAITI
WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Navy despatches today from Haiti report natives continuing to disarm peacefully. Quiet was reported in the coast cities.

24th Anniversary Sale 24th

We are 24 years old tomorrow, and with your kind permission we are going to celebrate;—further we want the ladies and misses and little girls of Lowell and surrounding places to be our guests.

During this Anniversary Sale (which opens tomorrow and continues through Friday and Saturday), we are going to offer unheard of values throughout our wonderfully enlarged establishment. Read over the wonderful offerings in ready-to-wears.

50 smart model Broadcloth Suits, fur-edged around collar and bottom of coat; very smart models. Special at \$16.75. A \$26.00 suit.

This Swell Suit represents two big reels of over 90 Suits cut exactly as pictured above, in splendid shades of plum, smoke, green, navy, brown and black, mostly in Broadcloths, some Gabardines and Poplins. Made to sell at \$22.50 to \$25.00. Special during our 24th Anniversary Sale, choice at \$19.75

Anniversary Sale price of 50 splendid latest new Fall Suits in Black and all colors of Serge and Poplin. Satin lined, perfect fitting. Several models like above (cut) made to sell at \$17.50 and \$18.75, all special at choice \$14.98

Over Seven Hundred Dandy Suits Special at \$25.00

Regular prices \$27.50, \$28.50, and many worth to \$35.00. 80 of those swell Sport Corduroy Coats, belted models, all the rage, only \$8.98. Later price \$15.00.

Motor Coats

We will offer during this Anniversary Sale, 700 Coats; styles that are superb. Wonderful showing of good warm Gray Mixtured Coats at \$9.98. 50 Coats of extra quality Tweeds, double-faced men's wear; special at \$15.75. 30 Sample Fur Trimmed Coats at \$16.75, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30. 40 Coats made in the simple 3/4 models; special at choice, \$5.00. Many worth as high as \$6.00. 30 Corduroy Coats at \$5.70; regular \$7.50 to \$9.00 coats.

DRESS DEPT.—2nd Floor

Beautiful Dresses at \$6.98. Made of Silk Poplin, bolero effect. Also three-tier model; shades, Panama Blue, Green, Navy and Black; wonderful for \$6.98.

A Big Reel of Dandy Dresses at \$10.00

Made of Serge and Taffeta Combinations in the Russian and Redingote models.

Also many beautiful Plaid Silk and Serge Combinations. Made to sell at \$12.75 to \$15.00. See them, all special, at choice \$10.00.

Wonderfully stylish Dresses in Silk Poplins, Charmeuse, Lace and Charmeuse.

Many in the beautiful new plum and smoke shades; also King Blue and Brown. Special during Anniversary Sale at \$15, \$17.50, \$22.50, \$25, \$28.50.

Waist Dept. Specials During Our Three Day Anniversary Sale

New Fall Crepe de Chine Striped Silks and Messaline Waists; special \$1.98. New Fall Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta Waists, in plaids and stripes; special \$3.50 to \$3.98.

New Georgettes and heavy quality Crepe de Chine Waists with convertible collars; special \$2.98 to \$6.98.

New Lace Waists with the new monogrammed sleeves; special \$5.00 to \$20.00.

A good time to get a sample Waist. A splendid assortment to choose from. New Fall Lingerie Waists in voiles, organdies, madras and lawns; 98c to \$2.98.

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STATE CAMPAIGN LIVENS
As the state campaign livens it becomes apparent that the republicans are striving to offset their weaknesses of argument and insecurity of position by windy speechmaking and lightning-change activity. In factitious rhetoric, Messrs. McCall, Coolidge & Co. are condemning everything democratic from President Wilson down only in the case of Governor Walsh they are singularly reserved. Evidently realizing the personal popularity of the chief executive whom all Massachusetts believes to be honest, sincere and public spirited, they hurl their vocal thunders against the administration at Washington, the tariff, the Mexican situation and anything else that gives an opportunity for partisan opposition. Meanwhile, Governor Walsh is developing unexpected strength by a fair, open and courageous exposition of the methods of the last legislature which sought to discredit him and the leaders of which are solidly behind the republican candidate. Governor Walsh is speaking to the people of the state about state affairs while McCall and Cushing are talking about the tariff and other national matters; incidentally the republican candidates are doing a service to the democratic party by attacking the administration that has kept us out of war and that has striven to serve all the people by every means in its power.

Speaking at a republican rally in Brockton Monday night Mr. McCall, as might be expected, turned his scholarly denunciations on the Underwood tariff referring especially to the tariff on shoes. He presented statistics to prove that Brockton is a thriving shoe city and he waxed eloquent in his condemnation of the putting of shoes on the free list. Finally, after working up a good case for his side of the argument he asked: "Do you want it to go out to the country that you should compete on a free trade basis with the growing shoe manufacturing industry in Japan, where the workmen get about one-sixth of the wages of the workmen in Brockton?"

Without asking what this has to do with the re-election of Governor Walsh, we may be pardoned for looking the dismal picture painted by the republican candidate. Is there really any danger that foreign shoe makers can send their product to this country to compete successfully with us? Shoes are sold very cheap in some stores in this city, but we have never yet seen a sign telling the public that the cheap shoes were made in Japan. On the contrary, American shoe machinery and American shoes have invaded every country in Europe, and Americans who have travelled abroad can testify to stores in foreign capitals under the title "American Shoe Shop." American shoe manufacturers are not afraid of foreign competition at this stage of the game, and the strongest foreign influence on the domestic shoe market is the flood of foreign orders for army shoes. Mr. McCall exercised his imagination somewhat at Brockton when speaking of the shoe situation; we shall probably have the same speech in Lowell only instead of shoes he shall substitute cotton. While the tariff bill lasts, Mr. McCall will not run out of material for speeches but in justice to the public he should pay a little more attention to state matters. He might also recall to his advantage that democrats have been elected in Massachusetts when tariff arguments were more fresh than they are now after a two years' trial and the shock of a war that has partially disorganized the trade of the entire world.

While Mr. McCall was talking about the tariff, Governor Walsh was talking about something that concerns the Massachusetts public far more intimately. Continuing his recital of the activities of "invisible government" in the last session of the legislature he told how riders were tacked on his railroad bill in their last legislative stages, without the knowledge of the governor, the public service commission or, in some instances, the legislative committee on railroads. These riders were brought to light during the closing hours of the debate; if permitted to become law they would have practically nullified the effect of the bills. The bills so treated by the agents of the silent power in the legislature were promptly vetoed by Governor Walsh, who was commended for his courageous stand by the Boston chamber of commerce and practically the entire press of New England. It is up to Mr. McCall to explain why the republican legislature was ready to set the will of the people at naught and to assure the public that he cannot be swayed by the support of interests that for reasons best known to themselves support him in opposition to Governor Walsh.

BRANDEIS FOR WALSH
In an open letter to the newspapers, Louis D. Brandeis has come out openly for the re-election of Governor Walsh, supporting his choice by a very flattering analysis of Mr. Walsh's administration. He says the defeat of the governor would pave the way for the return of the policies of Cannon, Barnes and Penrose and in contrast declares: "No governor of Massachusetts, be he republican or democrat, has been freer from the subtle influence of wealth or has striven more conscientiously to serve all the people."
Mr. Brandeis is popularly regarded as a persistent critic of railroad mismanagement and Governor Walsh is regarded as conservative and constructive in his plan for railroad reorganization. It is, therefore, no slight tribute when Mr. Brandeis praises the legislation which the governor has advocated for the restoration of the New Haven and the Boston and Maine railroads. Still more striking is the commendation paid Governor Walsh for his efforts to amend the compensation act in the interest of the workers of the state. Following is an excerpt:
"Every person who has in a practical way attempted to relieve hardships and misery among working people, recognizes social insurance as a pressing need, and Gov. Walsh has devoted himself to its development. The workmen's compensation law, the most important industrial accident law ever enacted, has been greatly strengthened through Gov. Walsh's active aid. The weekly compensation for disabled workmen was increased from one-half to two-thirds of the weekly wage. The payment of compensation was increased from two weeks to four weeks. The maximum payment receivable was increased from \$3000 to \$4000. All this without increased burdens upon employers, but with the result that the

THE CRISIS IN ENGLAND
There is dissension in the British cabinet. Sir Edward Carson retires, but that is a matter for congratulation rather than regret as Sir Edward has a habit of making trouble if he does not get things his own way. His departure from the cabinet at this time will have an effect somewhat similar to that which followed Mr. Bryan's retirement from President Wilson's cabinet. It will strengthen it.
Mr. Carson was opposed to conscription while owing to the Balkan

percentage of the insurance premium paid which now goes to the disabled employees, has been doubled. In a single year these changes have put nearly \$500,000 more into the pockets of injured working people or their dependents than would have been paid in the same period if Gov. Walsh had not secured the changes in the law for which he worked."

This statement is so fair and just that even opponents of Mr. Brandeis will admit that he has made a strong argument for the re-election of Governor Walsh, all the stronger for its business aspects and the absence of sentimentality.

IS LAW DISREGARDED
There is a law which stipulates that illiterates between the ages of 16 and 21 shall attend the elementary evening schools provided by the city. According to the superintendent of schools, this law is being disregarded by many employers of labor, as shown by the unsatisfactory attendance at many of the schools. This is a matter that all employers, parents and guardians should consider not only because of the specific and practical law but because of the great principle involved in a great industrial city such as ours it is unavoidable that many boys and girls shall leave school before they acquire the rudiments of education, and hundreds of immigrants troop in without any educational qualifications. Through carelessness, ignorance or lack of interest many of these are perfectly satisfied to remain illiterate, but the community demands that their lack of education be supplied by attendance at the evening schools for a few months during the winter. Employers who do not comply with the law show a greed and indifference that is not very inspiring, and unless there is a change in local conditions an effort should be made to show all concerned that the law was meant to be obeyed, not as an ornament on the statute books. Luckily the law provides ample means to find out those who ignore or evade it and if the next few weeks do not reveal a better attendance at the evening schools, the authorities should get busy. A few prosecutions might work wonders in arousing respect for the law where now is indifference or contempt.

PUBLIC PRYING
The abominable of President Wilson in all relating to his personal and private affairs has often been commented on in the press. In many ways it has been unique and altogether in contrast to the publicity which surrounded the home life of our last two presidents. The shock with which the country received the announcement of Mrs. Wilson's fatal illness will be recalled, also the unexpected announcement of his daughters' engagements. This has been changed considerably by the announcement of the president's intention to marry again. Almost daily

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frivolous details of his attention to his finances find their way into print and the attention of the public is in many ways distasteful to those who prefer dignity to an insatiable curiosity. Far better that the people pay attention to more important things and refrain from annoying the president with attention, that must be unwelcome. President Wilson is too good natured to take public curiosity too seriously, but foreigners who read our papers at the present time cannot be blamed for commenting on the characteristic American dilatory and irreverence.

PRESIDENT CARRANZA
So it is President Carranza of Mexico after all! The Pan-American conference has decided that he is the strongest man, and each American power will now present letters of recognition. This will in turn be followed by the recognition of the European nations and Mexico will have a real government in the diplomatic and international sense. It is the earnest wish of the United States that he will be able to keep order in his country and that he will respect the pledges he has given as to respect for liberty and the rights of all. There is still a strong feeling of apprehension that only time will dissipate and the conviction in many minds that the recognition of Huerta after the death of Madero would have accomplished the same ends while preventing much misery and wrong. Without Carranza proves a pleasant surprise, the administration will be commended for a Mexican policy which ended well without the necessity for armed intervention.

NASHUA STRIKE
All cities of New England, including Lowell and Lawrence sympathize with Nashua in the trials through which it is at present passing. The strike there has assumed serious proportions and hot passions have been aroused which have occasioned some bloodshed already and which may precipitate great harm unless speedily checked. It has been found necessary to call the state militia, but their presence has awakened the ire of the foreign workers who do not understand the law and who see an enemy in anything that represents authority. As in Lawrence and even in this city, women take a leading part in the agitation and they are numbered among the victims when the police or militia take summary action. Such instances make our textile cities pray that industrial strikes may be few and far between; occasionally they may bring good but they certainly do much damage to the community and particularly to the parties in conflict.

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SEEN AND HEARD
"The pun I love best in the world," says a noted critic, "is Douglas Jerrold's. If any be so base as not to know it, let him hear it now. Some one, not fortunate enough in his selection of a nose—it wasn't Thackeray, as tradition tells—was discussing gifts for a godson."
"I think," concluded the intending sponsor, "I'll give him a mug."
"For heaven's sake," said Jerrold, "don't give him your own."

Two Ways of Measuring
Mr. Lloyd George's wit on the platform is well known, but the following was one of the greatest returns he ever made:
He was addressing a meeting in So. Wales when the chairman, thinking to be witty at the chancellor's expense, remarked to the audience that he was a little disappointed in Mr. Lloyd George's appearance.
"I had heard so much about Mr. Lloyd George," he said, "that I naturally expected to meet a big man in every sense; but as you can see for yourselves, he is very small in stature." Standing an orator would have been seriously upset by such an unfortunate beginning to the proceedings, but not Lloyd George.
"I am grieved to find," he said, with mock seriousness, "that your chairman is disappointed in my size, but this is owing to the way you have of measuring a man. In So. Wales we measure a man from his chin up, but you incidentally measure him from his chin down."

After that the chairman made no more personal remarks.—Pearson's Weekly.

The Old Way and New
We think of the "whiplashes" we got when a child.
And other punishments dire.
How our parents would "wallop" us when they got "tired."
Or when we had raised their ire.
We think of the "strap" made of leather that hung
From a nail "neath mantle high,
How used by our parents, most fearfully "stung."
Bringing a tear to the eye.
We think of the "switch" made of "chick" and "red."
Wielded with terrible force
When punishing some disobedient lad.
Filling his mind with remorse;
The "spankings," the sending to bed in the dark.
And often superfluous, too.
Because we'd engaged in some innocent lark.
But through it rebellious grew.
Some say, after all, it is better 'twas so.
But what would folks say today if children were treated as in long ago.
Punished in same drastic way?
Now kindness and reason take place of brute force.
Love reigneth in place of fear.
And it seemeth to us a far wiser course.
When "boys" unruly appear.
It certainly tends to humiliate "boys."
Curb independence and pride.
To whip them like cattle—ambition destroys.
Makes them for progress unfit;
When reasoning fails, there are much better ways.
"Spank" "flogging" to keep them straight.
So, why throw a dark cloud o'er their early days?
Thus sowing the seeds of hate?
—Augustus Treadwell.

Seeing the Light
The readers of this column may have flattered themselves that they knew something about Greece's position in the present war. Editors and others

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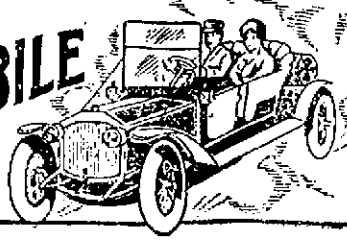
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have written yard after yard of editorials combining history, treatise and other things, but it remains for the correspondent signing himself "T. P." to set us all right in the matter and everybody will be interested in what he has to say in the following letter addressed to the editor of this column:
"Many times I see to become exploration the disagreement of the Premier, M. Venizelos, and the King Constantine, Queen Sophia of the Grecian to utter."
"My opinion and the conviction which to have which the Grecian free and enslaved of the King Constantine. The Grecian whole expect the erection of the Grecian empire who breaking the barbarous Turkish before 300 years ago."
"And the years 1912-1913 is the origin and the destiny to take more place who to be informed in the school from small children 'again by year's by times, again in places it is'."
"Now the allies come to the war the Grecian people it is sympathetic for the allies, but can come assistant. Because all the Grecian places to snatch off, the allies for accounts. The allies want come the Grecian in the war with side of the allies to win, and after? "The capitol of the Grecian empire the queen of the world who says the great Napoleon. The Constantinople give to the Russian, what business has the Russian's there? No Russian people is in? The Grecian Thracian give to the unfaithful ally the Bulgarian. The Grecian island for the Italy and the Grecian? nothen!"
"Why now, the Grecian army fight with the allies? let the Grecian has all the places who belong to the Grecian empire and see the allies, if the King Constantine to respect the command of the Grecian army."
"Now the Grecian have big robbery from the allies!"
Was Going Some
A Welshman, an Irishman and an Englishman were arguing as to which fastest of the three countries possessed the fastest telegraph poles looked like a hedge.
"I've seen milestones appear like gravestones," said the Welshman.
"No jabbers," said the Irishman, "I was one day in a train in my country and we passed a flock of sheep, a field of carrots, a field of turnips and one of parsley and one of onions and then a pond of water, and we were going so fast that I thought it was a stew!"
EDITORIAL COMMENT
Playing Safe
The next governor of Massachusetts will be Samuel W. McCall or David I. Walsh.—Fall River News.
Cold Feet
The nation that has cold feet is apt to have the most cold cash at the end of the war.—Florida Times-Union.
A Long Fever
It would seem that the very fever of the war would consume its possibilities of endurance.—Haverhill Gazette.
Note Mr. McCall!
The expansion of business refuses to wait until the republicans can make a new tariff.—Philadelphia Record.
And Why Not?
"When it comes to the European war situation," says Joe Cannon, "why I

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Commenting upon the recent speed trials in Chicago, in which a Cadillac eight touring car made 100 miles in 82 minutes 16 seconds, an average of 74.4 miles an hour, and a second car of the type did the same distance 1 1/2 minutes slower, General Manager Leland of the Cadillac company says:

"A significant feature of the performance was the fact that the cars were not piloted by professionals but by members of the experimental and engineering department of the factory. The driver of the car which established the better record had not driven 10 miles on a track prior to this event. The fact that a speed trial of this kind is a test of the average motorist from a speed standpoint, for the reason that not one person in a thousand ever cares to ride so fast. It is most significant, however, because of its indication of the stamina of the cars. Notwithstanding the terrific

strains imposed by motor speeds of from 2000 to 3000 revolutions per minute and the maintenance of these speeds over so long a period, the Cadillac performed perfectly, and it is extremely gratifying to observe the remarkable uniformity in the running of the two cars.

"The achievements are particularly significant because they were accomplished by the same kind of cars that can be obtained by the everyday purchaser—not by cars designed primarily for speed purposes, wherein all other things are made subservient to fast driving."

"The success of the Red Arrow Motor Supply, 515 Moody street, is a striking example of a young man's diligence, business and determined effort to please his customers. Perhaps one of the most noticeable features which will attract the attention of the visitor to this popular shop is the harmonious system which prevails at all times. Every order is in as smooth working order there as it is an automobile after it has been repaired by the experts who, Mr. Arthur Bourke, the proprie-

tor employs. In Mr. Burke's own words:

"I have always tried to keep the best of feeling extant among my workmen, and I have given them a roomy, healthy and lightsome workshop, so that I may expect the best from them. That I am receiving what I expect, is evident from the success which has been mine."

Mr. Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart, agent for the Dodge Brothers' car, has sold the following cars of the Dodge Bros. make: M. K. Tenney, touring; J. K. Foss, touring; Mrs. G. B. Moody, touring; Arthur C. Varnum, roadster; Rev. F. J. Mullin, roadster; Adolph Delsile, winter car.

The Sawyer Carriage Co. in Worthen street is making a specialty of oxy-acetylene welding, not only for small automobile parts, but on all general work for the local mills. One branch of their work is the carbon burning from automobile cylinders. This is done in a thorough manner, while the customer waits, as it is not a long process.

metal clutch, treat it with a mixture of graphite and oil. If it is a leather-clutch, treat the leather with some neatfoot oil. In the latter case the oil should be allowed to soak into the leather for a few hours, at least.

Can paint or enamel be used to paint an engine of an automobile? What causes white specks like salt grains in circulation system? I use spring water, not city water. Would this cause the white specks? T. K. Ans.—It is not advisable to use ordinary paint on the cylinder castings. A thick coat of paint will prevent radiation. Supply stores carry in stock a thin cylinder paint, which has no material effect. Would suggest that you use this. It is not advisable to use spring water in the cooling system. This water contains minerals which form a scale or deposit in the water jackets and radiator. It is best to use soft water, preferably rain water.

How should you treat cork used in the floats of carburetors in order to prevent it absorbing gasoline, and so increasing its weight, and also prevent it being attacked by acids, small traces of which are at times present in gasoline?

Ans.—Cork floats should be dried out thoroughly and then carefully shelacked. Unless you are familiar with this kind of work it would be more satisfactory to purchase a new float, which is not expensive.

BATTERY IGNITION

The difference between battery ignition and high tension magneto ignition has puzzled many automobile owners and prospective buyers.

In the magneto ignition system, the current for ignition goes directly from the magneto to the spark plugs. The speed of the magneto increases and decreases with the speed of the engine. The amount of current output of any magneto is in direct proportion to the speed.

For this reason, at the higher engine speeds the magneto is furnishing a good hot spark—but the hot spark is not needed at the higher speeds. When the engine is running low and pulling hard, the magneto furnishes but a weak spark, although a very hot spark is needed under these conditions. This uneven current output has caused the magneto to be relegated to the museum and replaced by battery ignition in makes of cars.

The storage battery, of course, furnishes a uniform current. A good hot spark is available at all times, irrespective of the engine speed.

The battery delivers the same current at the slowest engine speed as it does at the higher rate, but the magneto gives but very little current when the engine is running slow. This is why cars with battery ignition can be throttled down to a much lower speed than cars equipped with the magneto.

An objection has been given to the battery system, in that frequent recharging of the battery is necessary. Recent improvements, however, have made this objection invalid.

Most cars which have battery ignition are also equipped with an electric generator. This generator is driven by the engine, in the same way as the magneto is driven, and furnishes current to the battery. The generator, therefore, automatically keeps the battery charged at all times, and does away with the necessity of having it recharged.

This equipment, known as the generator battery system, has become popular during recent years.

LUBRICATION PROBLEM

With cold weather at hand motorists who are accustomed to all-the-year-around service face new conditions of operation and maintenance. None of the problems that low temperature brings has more bearing on good service than lubrication for a drop in the mercury means an atmospheric condition that has a tendency to congeal the lubrication oil unless it has been manufactured in a way to prevent this difficulty. Motorists observe this most commonly when they find the motor hard to start on cold days.

Recently engineers of the Ford Motor company have made interesting experiments to solve this problem through a series of comprehensive cold tests. The oils which these engineers have evolved and which is used in the Ford factory and at all Ford branches is the result of these experiments. Thus, the Ford man using this oil in cold weather has his lubrication problem solved for him, the purpose being to increase the value of service by passing along to the owner the benefit of the laboratory work of the experts. In other words, the oil is made so that automatically it takes care of the problem of low temperature and consequent tendency to congeal the oil.

THE AUTO VS. THE HORSE

Few people realize how completely the automobile has displaced the horse as a means of convenience and necessity in our daily existence.

The physician depends upon his car as a sure means of conveyance to our patients into the world. Our existence from year to year is made enjoyable by the light car delivery which brings us our daily food, the motor truck and its reduction of the high cost of living through hauling economies, the "jitney," with its essential solution of the transportation problem, or, if circumstances permit, our own car with its unrestricted joys and freedom from restraint.

The motor fire truck watches over our property. The ambulance guards our health. The patrol keeps us within the straight and narrow path of propriety, and finally the stately hearse offers opportunity for our last ride.

RELEASE BOY FROM ARMY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Through the efforts of the state department, which so notified Representative Olney's office, Robert G. Cushman, 14 years old, of Canton, Mass., has been released from service in the Canadian contingent and will be given into the custody of his father, George H. Cushman. The release is said to have been obtained just as the contingent was to sail for Europe.

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AUTOMOBILE QUESTION BOX

EDITED BY GEORGE H. ROBERTSON

NOTE—In these columns every Wednesday Mr. George H. Robertson, America's foremost automobile authority, will give expert advice to motorists on how to repair and operate their machines. Automobile readers of THE SUN are invited to send in questions or problems they may wish to have answered. Such questions will receive attention in due time. Address all communications: Automobile Editor, THE SUN, 100 Nassau Street, New York. Communications must bear the signature and address of the sender, though not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

The front tires of my machine seem to wear a lot on the tread. I have just put two new ones on and they are in bad shape already, although only having gone about five hundred miles.

J. M. W. Ans.—Your front wheels are no doubt out of line. Would suggest that you have a good repair man line up these wheels, after which you will have no trouble.

I am driving a chain-drive Simplex and am having quite a little trouble with my driving chains. I have just put on new sprockets, front and rear, but the chains are noisy. Can you advise as to the trouble?

G. A. S. Ans.—In changing the sprockets you should have equipped with new chains also. The old chains are stretched and the pitch is different. New chains will overcome your trouble.

Is it proper, when laying the car up for the winter, to take the tires off the rims and put them in a dry place? Would appreciate any advice you may be able to give me.

A. M. N. Ans.—I would suggest that you take the tires off the rims and look over them thoroughly, fixing cuts, holes, etc. Would then soapstone the inner tube and put it back in the shoe, hanging both in a dark, dry spot until you intend to use the car. Clean the rims carefully and paint them with a good rim paint.

What grade of oil would you suggest?

My motor, equipped with a Remy magneto, and a L. L. glass when spark is fully retarded when running on the magneto, but runs all right when on batteries. Can you explain the cause?

W. C. Ans.—Examine the primary cables where attached to magneto and for a short distance back from the magneto. It is probable that a "short" occurs between two of them when the spark is in the retarded position. Then again, the magneto may be weak. With spark retarded the armature is away from the pole pieces, and if magnets are weak a poor spark will result. Closing the gap a little at the spark plugs may help some.

Can a wheel equipped with an old-style clincher rim be changed to a demountable rim? Is it then possible to use the clincher tire on a demountable rim?

S. M. Ans.—It will be necessary to build

up new felloes on the wheels. If you have the same size demountable rims installed, it will be possible to use the same tires again. On some makes of demountable rims it is not possible to use felloes with the ordinary clincher type tire. If a clincher shoe is used on the rear wheels without felloes, the tendency will be for the tire to creep on the rim and shear off the valve.

What substance can be put into the gasoline tank to clean out carbon deposits? Does it do the cleaning thoroughly and is it safe to use?

A. B. Ans.—There are numerous preparations put out on the market for the purpose, but to date I have found none that would do everything that is required without bad results. The removal of carbon by outside methods is the best.

How much caustic soda should be used to clean out a cooling system of about three gallons? Shall I run the engine while using? If so, how long and fast or slow?

J. M. Ans.—Dissolve two and one-half pounds of solid caustic soda so that it makes one gallon of solution. If three gallons is exact capacity of cooling system then dissolve seven and one-half pounds. When this has cooled, pour it into cooling system and let stand overnight. Be sure to flush whole system thoroughly the next morning.

Twice while driving my car along the road and not using the brakes the rear wheels have locked. On taking off one of the wheels I found that the internal brake shoes were broken and lying inside of the drum. Repairs have been made by a good mechanic, and I am at a loss to understand why this trouble should happen so often. Do you suppose it is due to poor material or because the mechanic did not know how to do the work?

F. B. Ans.—Internal expanding brakes must be held in suspension so that the parts will not come in contact with the wheel drums, except when they are expanded by applying the brake lever. The brake shoes have probably been rubbing against the drum until the friction became so great they locked and broke. They should be held in place by heavy springs. If adjusted right there is no reason why you should have this trouble often.

My car at times gives a loud knock in the differential, and on examining it I found that quite a number of the teeth of the master gear were chipped off. I gave the gear case a thorough cleaning and found a number of small pieces of steel from the gear. Did these pieces cause the knock? It has given no trouble since cleaning the gears. Does lack of lubricant cause the gear to chip? Will it cause any trouble to run on the gear when quite a number of the teeth are chipped on the edge? I run about seventy-five miles weekly.

L. M. H. Ans.—Evidently a piece of metal from one of the teeth became wedged between the gears. This would tend to force the gears apart, when meshing at this point. Sometimes when gears have been hardened too much they will chip. Lack of lubrication will also cause it. It is reasonable to believe that once started they will continue to chip. The smallest pieces are bound to cause damage to the other working parts. However, if you clean the case frequently and drive very little you may experience no great trouble until such time as new parts may be installed.

When I let in my clutch the car jumps in starting. This has occurred only lately. It is almost a new car and I do not know whether there is any adjustment or not. Can you advise me as to what may be the trouble and a remedy? I think it is a leather faced clutch.

W. C. Ans.—The clutch is too fierce. When starting from a standstill you should engage it slowly. If you have a

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In conjunction with the big Y.M.C.A. campaign for 1000 new members in six days, which formally opens this evening with a banquet in the association building, the big clock which marked the progress of the campaign was hoisted to its old perch on the Runnels building this afternoon. The face of the clock has been repainted and instead of the dollar signs it now bears numbers.

The work of elevating the clock occupied considerable time, a force of men being busy for several hours. On its face is inscribed: "2000 Members for the Lowell Y.M.C.A. 1000 New Members in Six Days What Other Towns Have Done Lowell Can Do Too." The number on the clock range from 50 to 2000 and persons interested in the campaign can easily watch its progress from day to day. A thermometer will also be placed in front of the association building on Merrimack street.

Plans for tonight's banquet have been completed. R. G. Gould, secretary of the Brockton Y.M.C.A., and Mayor Murphy will be the speakers, with Campaign Manager J. A. McArt giving an outline of the work of the campaign. Music will be furnished by the boys' choir of St. Anne's church. Samuel H. Thompson, chairman of the executive committee, will preside.

Among the most energetic of the captains who promises to make a good showing during the campaign is Harry Pitts, the automobile man, who has charge of the Maxwell team. Mr. Pitts already has a line on several prospects and avers that he will approach them as soon as the campaign is launched. Campaign Manager McArt announces that all persons interested in the campaign, male or female, will be given places in the gallery during the noon luncheon. They will be able to watch the proceedings and hear the team reports.

THE SCHENECTADY STRIKE

RANKS OF STRIKERS AT GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY REMAINS UNBROKEN

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Oct. 20.—The ranks of the strikers at the local plant of the General Electric Co. remained virtually unbroken today in spite of the fact that the company officials had announced that employees who did not return to their places this morning would sever all connections with the company. More than 2000 pickets, the largest

number that has been on duty since the beginning of the strike two weeks ago, were drawn up in double lines near the main gate, the only entrance to the shops that was open. It was estimated that less than 50 workers succeeded in passing through the picket lines.

So far as could be learned the company has made no move to fill the places of the 13,000 employees who quit work to enforce a demand for an eight hour day.

SEC. McADOO AT EXPOSITION
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo was on the program as the principal speaker today at Treasury Department Day at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

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WOBURN MAN SHOT 4

JOHN F. GLENNON, FATHER OF 11 CHILDREN, ARMED WITH SHOT-GUN, HAN AMUCK IN STREETS

WOBURN, Oct. 20.—John F. Glennon, 52 years old, of 7 Buckman court, father of 11 children and foreman in the United States department of entomology for a number of years, who has always borne an enviable reputation among his fellow citizens, terrorized the inhabitants of the southern section of the city last night, when, armed with a loaded shotgun, he paraded the streets about 10 o'clock, threatening dire results to anyone who should interfere, and finally snatching haphazard into a group of Turks who were standing at the corner of Mann and Conn streets.

Glennon, whose mind is said to be at least temporarily deranged, was placed under arrest before he could inflict further harm after a desperate battle with Patrolman Bernard Murphy and four civilians. The four Turks, whose legs were literally peppered with shot, were removed to the Choate Memorial hospital, where the leaden pellets were extracted. The victims were later sent to their boarding house in Conn street.

Glennon, who for several years was engaged in Massachusetts and other nearby states in the extermination of mice and brown-tail moths, appeared on the street last night brandishing his shotgun, discharging it recklessly and generally terrifying the neighborhood. The frightened residents, many of whom were on their way home from the theatre, quickly ran to cover and watched Glennon's antics from doorways and windows.

When he reached Mann and Conn streets he came upon the group of Turks, who were talking peacefully together. Without provocation, it is said, Glennon blazed away, the scattering shot wounding four of them in the legs. The wounded men were Ali Ahmed, Hassan Ali, Mawer Solon and Hassan Mirtelher.

After emptying his shells, Glennon reloaded his weapon and proceeded toward his home in Buckman court. Patrolman Bernard Murphy, who had been notified that Glennon was on a rampage, and who had heard the reports of the gun, found him near his home. Although Glennon threatened to empty his gun at Murphy, the latter closed in, and with the assistance of Edward and Jack McLaughlin, Patrick McDonough and George Weaner, civilians, Glennon was placed under subjection and taken to the Central station and locked up. He raved constantly and the police are convinced that he is temporarily insane.

At his home it was said that Glennon was late in arriving home for the evening meal and that he left home some little time before he appeared on the street armed with the shotgun.

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HALF BILLION FOR NAVY

Sec. Daniels Announces Five Year Program—Seeks Addition of 11,500 Men for Service

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Official estimates of the navy's part in the administration's billion dollar national defense program were made public last night by Secretary Daniels. They show that within five years it is proposed to spend \$502,482,214 on construction of new ships, development on air craft, and creation of a huge reserve of ammunition and guns for the navy.

The five-year building program contemplates construction of 10 dreadnoughts, six battle cruisers, 10 scout cruisers, 50 destroyers, 15 sea-going submarines, 85 coast defense submarines, four gunboats, one hospital ship, two ammunition ships, two fuel-oil ships and one repair ship. The last of these vessels will be built and in commission late in 1924.

On naval aviation it is proposed to expend \$6,000,000 during the five years and on reserve munitions \$25,000,000.

Increase of 11,000 Men

Secretary Daniels will recommend this year the addition to the navy of 7500 bluejackets, 2500 apprentices and 1500 marines, a total of 11,500 men. With this addition to the personnel it is estimated that all battleships not more than 15 years old, destroyers and submarines built within 12 years, half of the cruisers, and all of the gunboats and necessary fleet auxiliaries can be manned and an adequate reserve be maintained for vessels on the reserve list.

To officer the additional force of marines the secretary will recommend appointment of one additional brigadier-general, two colonels, two lieutenant-colonels, six majors, one colonel and assistant quartermaster, 11 captains, 14 first lieutenants, 13 2d lieutenants and 22 warrant officers.

Additional naval officers would be obtained by increasing the number of midshipmen at the academy at Annapolis by not less than 250 men.

For the aviation corps Secretary Daniels will recommend establishment of a special service to which civilian aviators can be appointed.

The 1917 naval estimates to be presented to congress this winter will total \$217,052,173, an increase of \$67,990,308 over last year's appropriation. Of the increase, \$57,002,000 will be for new construction, \$5,000,000 for munitions reserve, \$2,000,000 for aviation and the balance of the total appro-

priation will go toward continuing departmental expenses.

Five-Year Building Program

The building program to be recommended for the five-year period is as follows:

FOR 1917	
(Authorized in 1915)	
Two dreadnoughts	\$15,500,000
Three battle cruisers	11,125,000
Three scout cruisers	6,350,000
Fifteen destroyers	10,500,000
Five fleet submarines	4,425,000
Twenty-five coast submarines	5,575,000
Two gunboats	700,000
One hospital ship	1,250,000
One fuel-oil ship	700,000
Total	\$57,002,000
(Only part of total cost of vessels appropriated the first year.)	

FOR 1918	
Two dreadnoughts	\$26,550,000
Continuing work on two battle cruisers	11,921,000
One scout cruiser	6,350,000
Ten destroyers	10,000,000
Four fleet submarines	5,575,000
Fifteen coast submarines	15,500,000
One gunboat	1,140,000
Continuing work on hospital ship	1,200,000
Continuing work on fuel ship	655,250
Total	\$84,273,750

FOR 1919	
Two dreadnoughts	\$37,500,000
One battle cruiser	17,500,000
Two scout cruisers	10,000,000
Five destroyers	10,100,000
Ten fleet submarines	10,000,000
Fifteen coast submarines	15,500,000
One ammunition ship	700,000
One fuel-oil ship	700,000
Total	\$99,707,500

FOR 1920	
Two dreadnoughts	\$37,500,000
One battle cruiser	17,115,000
Two scout cruisers	10,000,000
Ten destroyers	10,500,000
Two fleet submarines	4,425,000
Fifteen coast submarines	15,500,000
One ammunition ship	700,000
One fuel-oil ship	700,000
Total	\$99,133,050

FOR 1921	
Two dreadnoughts	\$36,600,000
One battle cruiser	15,190,500
Two scout cruisers	10,000,000
Ten destroyers	10,500,000
Two fleet submarines	4,425,000
Fifteen coast submarines	15,500,000
One gunboat	700,000
One ammunition ship	1,765,000

Completing fuel ship	635,250
One repair ship	1,175,000
Total	\$1,810,250

ESTIMATED COST PER VESSEL	
Dreadnought	\$18,500,000
Battle cruiser	17,500,000
Scout cruiser	5,000,000
Destroyer	1,350,000
Fleet submarine	1,500,000
Coast submarine	350,000
Gunboat	700,000
Hospital ship	2,450,000
Fuel ship	1,250,000
Repair ship	2,000,000

\$6,000,000 for Aviation

The \$6,000,000 aviation appropriation would be divided \$2,000,000 for the first year and \$1,000,000 for each year thereafter.

The reserve munitions program would be divided \$5,000,000 the first \$5,000,000 a year for three succeeding years, and \$2,000,000 for the fifth year.

In addition to the \$5,000,000, to increase the reserves of munitions, I have recommended in the regular appropriations an increase of \$1,178,350 for ordnance, in which I have included \$100,000 for torpedo defense net for battleships.

I have in prospect the larger utilization of the older class of battleships for the naval militia organizations of the states on the seacoast. I have also recommended an increase in the appropriation for the naval militia as a whole of \$50,757.33. The naval militia has made great strides this year.

GETS MEDAL FOR HEROISM

CHARLES THOMPSON SAVED LIFE OF CAPT. WILSON, U.S.N., 15 YEARS AGO

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Oct. 20.—Chief Carpenter Charles Thompson of the Portsmouth navy yard has received a medal of honor from the navy department 15 years after the deed for which it was given had been accomplished.

Mr. Thompson was an apprentice when Capt. Henry Wilson U.S.N., was an ensign. These two men with 16 others put off in a sailboat from the gunboat Saratoga then lying off Trinidad, to visit the "Asphalt Lake." Three miles from shore a wave swamped the boat.

Wilson came to the surface under the heavy sail. He was so exhausted that he gave himself up for lost. Thompson saw Wilson and risked his life to drag him to the boat. He had to support him for nearly ten minutes until Wilson recovered consciousness. In the meantime four of the other men had been drowned. A fetucca had picked up the others and sailed away supposing no one else was left alive.

With one hand Thompson swam the three miles to shore and with the other supported Wilson all the way. Both men were near death when they reached land.

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CHASE ENDS IN RIVER

YOUNG MAN CORNERED BY POLICE LEAPED OUT WINDOW—ARRESTED FOR HORSE STEALING

CLAREMONT, N. H., Oct. 20.—Frank Donnelly, aged 18, who says he lives at Manchester, N. H., made a spectacular dash for liberty yesterday when Sheriff E. H. Oakes of White River Junction yelled "stop thief." Donnelly ran down Main street with 50 men after him. He stripped off his sack-knaw, dashed into the Sullivan Machine shop and was cornered by Chief Elmer Cole and Sheriff Oakes, H. Marks and A. A. Gibbs. Donnelly then jumped from a second-story window to the hard ground and leaped into the Sugar River canal.

Sheriff Oakes, from the bank, commanded him to swim ashore which he did, and was placed in the local jail, and then taken to White River Junction, Vt., to answer to a charge of horse stealing. According to Sheriff Oakes, Donnelly is alleged to have stolen a horse and buggy owned by P. S. Davis, secretary of Vermont State Fair association, which was hidden in front of his office. He is supposed to have driven as far as Hartland, Vt., and then deserted the team for a freight train.

Donnelly told a reporter last night that he knew nothing of the horse affair; that he walked from White River Junction to Windsor, about 15 miles, from 9 to 10:30, jumped a freight, got off and then took passage to Claremont from Windsor, arriving there at 11:30. There is no train arriving here at that time.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Old Ladies Home held yesterday afternoon: President, Mrs. George F. Richardson; vice presidents, Mrs. Sarah T. Young and Mrs. A. E. Foster; secretary, Mrs. Edwin T. Shaw; treasurer, J. Edward Gibson; auditor, Charles C. Hendrick; trustees, Mrs. George F. Richardson, George S. Motley, Mrs. H. A. Lambert, Arthur G. Pollard, Mrs. T. B. Brazier, Clarence H. Nelson, Mrs. J. C. Abbott, John Jacob Rogers, Mrs. J. E. Parker and Frank Hanchett.

B. F. Butler Relief Corps

Mrs. Nina Lovejoy of Ayer, assistant department inspector, inspected the work of B. F. Butler Relief Corps at its regular meeting held last evening in the reception room at city hall. President Mrs. Bessie Cummings presided. It was voted to hold a memorial service at the next meeting for both Mrs. Flanagan and Mrs. Worden. Remarks were made by Mrs. Emma Slaughter and Mrs. Noyes, the latter of Wakefield.

Lowell Aerle, F. O. B.

Much business of importance was transacted and several applications for membership were received and referred to the proper authorities at the regular meeting of Lowell Aerle, Fraternal Order of Eagles, held last evening in Odd Fellows temple. Reports of the treasurer, financial secretary and other officers were read. Plans were begun for a class initiation to be held in November.

Betsy Ross Circle

Plans were made for the inspection to be held in November at last evening's meeting of Betsy Ross circle, 24 Ladies of the G.A.R. Routine business was transacted.

STICK, SAYS GOV. JOHNSON

California Executive Sends a Message to the Progressives of the Bay State

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Acting Chairman Leon E. Baldwin of the progressive state committee received yesterday afternoon a telegram from Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, in which the latter urges Massachusetts progressives to stand firm. The telegram is as follows:

"Stick tight, boys. If Massachusetts people realize that the progressives are doing for California they will defeat the combined republican and democratic vote by over 60,000, the same as the progressives did here."

Chairman Baldwin said that reports from all quarters of the state indicate that a heavy progressive vote will be cast election day.

VETERAN FIREMEN'S MEETING

A regular meeting of the members of the Butler Veteran Firemen's association was held last night at the city hall. The meeting was held in the city hall. The meeting was held in the city hall. The meeting was held in the city hall.

DEFENSE OF COMMERCE

STEAMERS FOLLOW THE GERMAN SUBMARINES

AMSTERDAM, via London, Oct. 20, 1915.—Zeppelins are being used by Germany for the defense of commerce against attacks by British and Russian submarines, according to a despatch from Berlin. It is stated that the steamer Scotia of Stettin, Prussia, bound from Sweden to Stettin, with a cargo of ore, was pursued by a British submarine off Bornholm. In reply to wireless calls for assistance a Zeppelin suddenly appeared whereupon the submarine submerged and disappeared.

DANCE LICENSE GIVEN

Midsex Women's Club Voted One at Last Evening's Meeting of License Board

The license commission met last evening and granted the following permits: Sunday permits, George F. Atherton, 710 Alken street; James O'Flaherty, 122 Alken street; Desiro DuCharme, 224 Alken street; George Keefe, 44 Fenwick street; Hannah Willis, 707 Chestnut street; Blanche Willis, 125 Church street; Shooting gallery, Edward W. Liberty, 331 Middlesex street. Public amusement for dancing, Midsex Women's club, Colonial hall.

SUSPEND B. & M. MILK RATES

Public Service Commission to Give Hearing on the Whole Problem Wednesday, Nov. 3

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Schedules of tariffs containing cancellations and changes increasing rates on milk, cheese and cream, filed by the Boston & Maine railroad, have been suspended by the public service commission until Feb. 29, 1916, unless otherwise ordered. The commission will give a hearing on the matter Nov. 3, 1915, at 10:30 a. m.

The commission will at that time hear all parties interested in the general problem of milk transportation, with special reference to the availability of the commission's intervening in the pending proceedings before the interstate commerce commission or taking other action to remove the disadvantages to Massachusetts milk producers caused by the difference in rates and the methods of transportation as between intrastate and interstate milk traffic.

The date to which suspension is ordered, Feb. 29, 1916, is the date to which the new interstate rates were suspended by the interstate commerce commission.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR ITALY

With a large number of members present, the annual rally and roll call of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church was held last night. After a bountiful supper had been served a program of speaking was enjoyed. President C. E. MacGregor, representing the Lowell Christian Endeavor union, spoke on "What is the Responsibility of This Society to the Local Union?" The state union was represented by Rev. H. R. Chamberlain of Newton, former president of the state organization, who gave an interesting talk on the work of the society. F. J. Spooner, county treasurer, discussed a "Definite Program in the Campaign for Millions." On April 15, 1917, the societies are to report the number of members gained. The soloist of the evening was Mr. Moir.

CASES GO TO MASTER

HEARING IN SUPREME COURT ON PETITION OF NATIONAL DOCK AND STORAGE WAREHOUSE CO.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—A hearing was given by Judge Bralley in the supreme court yesterday in the actions of the National Dock and Storage Warehouse company of East Boston against the Boston & Maine Railroad company and the public service commission, seeking to prevent the company from discriminating against it in its freight charges and to have the commission enforce a decree it made requiring the road to cease such discrimination. The court ordered these two cases and a suit brought by the commonwealth against the railroad, relating to the same matter, heard by a master, as it will take several days to present the facts.

George J. Mayberry, for the railroad, argued that the act of 1913 creating the public service commission had implicitly the act of 1906 under which the dock company filed its petition. In the act of 1913 the commission was authorized to fix tariffs, and its decree which the dock company seeks to have enforced was a nullity, the railroad contended, because the commission did not fix the rates it should have done.

It was alleged that the railroad substantially complied with the order of the commission by submitting a new schedule of rates which would have taken away with the alleged discrimination, but the state, fearing a change in rates might invalidate its contract with the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company and the Old Colony Railroad company relative to the use of the Commonwealth pier in South Boston for 20 years, secured from Judge Crosby, through its attorney general, an injunction restraining change in rates until the merits of the question had been determined.

The contract was made when Charles S. Mellen was president of the New Haven road and the Boston & Maine road, and it is contended that the contract benefits the railroad at the expense of the B. & M. road. The latter alleges the contract is illegal and unenforceable against it, since it provided for an unjust discrimination in freight rates.

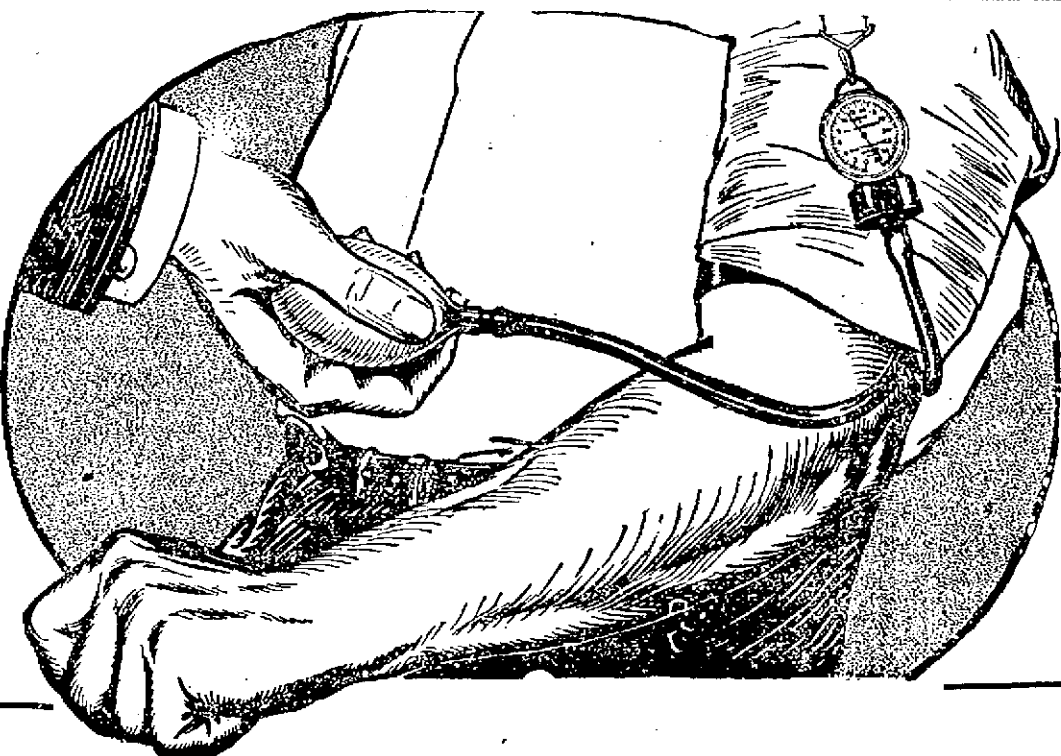
On Nov. 10 the attorney general, at the instance of the governor and the council, will argue before the interstate commerce commission at Washington that the contract between the companies and the state is not discriminatory as to freight rates. Atty. Gen. Atwill told Judge Bralley that the decision of that commission will have a bearing on the case pending in court.

100TH ANNIVERSARY

Cambridge Honors Richard Henry Dana, Author of "Two Years Before the Mast"

CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 20.—The 100th anniversary of the birth in this city of Richard Henry Dana, author of "Two Years Before the Mast," was celebrated here today. Under the auspices of the Cambridge Historical society a Dana exhibition was opened in the Widener Memorial library at Harvard university, consisting of a large collection of paintings, books, letters and other articles closely connected with the life of that famous author and lawyer. Included in the collection was a silver plate presented to Dana by Wendell Phillips and other abolitionists for his defense of Anthony Burns, a fugitive slave.

In Memorial hall at Harvard university tonight Bishop William Lawrence of the Episcopal diocese of Massachusetts will preside at a memorial meeting. Addresses will be given by Jos. H. Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain who at one time was a legal associate of Dana; Prof. Bliss Perry of Harvard and Moorfield Storey of Boston.



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TEN MEXICANS LYNCHED

Due to Train Robbery — U. S. Troops Have No Part in Executions—3 Americans Slain

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Oct. 20.—Ten Mexicans yesterday paid with their lives for alleged complicity in Monday night's wrecking of a St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico passenger train on the outskirts of Brownsville, the killing of three Americans and the wounding of four others.

Peace officers said last night they had clues to other Mexicans connected with the robbery. No secret was made that more would be killed if civilian possees catch them.

The wrecking of the train, which occurred near Olmito, seven miles north of here last night, was followed by the robbery of the passengers. The Mexicans are declared to be followers of Luis de la Rosa, leader of the so-called Texas revolution.

Civil officers here were in most cases powerless to prevent summary executions of Mexicans, for many of the possees were composed mostly of men who worked independently of civil or military authority.

The military authorities under their present instructions have no power to act, except in cases of actual fighting on the river front, in which case they may temporarily direct the operations of civilians.

Lynched For Aiding Bandits

The first Mexican killed by the possees was an unidentified young man, a passenger, who was accused of revealing the hiding place of Dr. F. S. McCain, deputy state health officer here, who took refuge in the lavatory of the car when the bandits began firing.

Sheriff W. T. Vann of Brownsville, denied reports of this Mexican's death, but last night it developed that possees killed the man after Sheriff Vann left the scene of the wreck.

This Mexican was himself threatened by the Mexican robbers because of his unusually fair complexion, but was not molested after he told them where two of the "gringos" whom they were hunting were hiding.

The second Mexican killed was alleged to be a "partner" of the young man on the train. Four Mexicans were hanged to trees at various points and four others were shot.

These shootings were on or near the banks of the Rio Grande, where the closest watch for Mexicans was maintained for 100 miles.

Cavalry Join in Search

United States cavalrymen brought to Fort Brown a young Mexican who appeared in the Los Indios district today, about 30 miles up the river from the scene of the robbery, with his horse dripping from apparent hard riding.

Army officers who questioned him said he gave no information to connect him with last night's robbery. He was turned over to the civil authorities here.

Probably 1500 cavalrymen and infantry today searched for traces of the bandits. Hundreds of civilians joined them.

Civil and military authorities did not agree on whether any of the bandits had crossed from the Mexican side of the river. Military officers believed the raid was made up from the American side.

Luis de la Rosa, whom two passengers claimed they recognized among the robbers, has several times been seen by Mexicans and American army officers had asked for his arrest by Carranza officials.

Five Prisoners Jailed

The death of Dr. McCain late yesterday was the third to result from the wreck. Dr. McCain was shot in the abdomen.

The four injured, three of them by bullet wounds and the fourth by scalds when the train was wrecked by a removed rail, were said last night to be recovering.

Five prisoners were brought to the Brownsville jail today, where they were believed to be safe from violence, but the Brownsville jail is the only institution of its kind in this valley and the chances of a suspected Mexican reaching here as a prisoner from any distance during the present degree of excitement are small.

It is known that none of the Mexicans was killed by soldiers and that so far there have been no encounters between the soldiers and Mexicans as a result of last night's affair.

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SLEEPYTIME TALES

THE MISCHIEVOUS KITTEN

Once upon a time Mary's father brought her home a little kitten. "Something for you to play with," he said as he tossed it into her arms. All that day delighted Mary played with her pet until it grew tired and cross and would not be cheerful again until Mary tied a spool on a string and hung it where the kitten could play with it. First the kitten would hit the spool with its paw which would make the spool swing away, and then back again like the pendulum of a clock. The kitten never seemed to tire of playing with the spool so Mary kept it tied where she could always have it.

One afternoon the kitten could not be found, although Mary looked for it in every place she could think of. Early the next morning there was a knock at the door and a man called to her father and said: "Did you know that the electric light in your front room was light-

ed all night and is going now?" Her father said: "Why, that is queer. No one slept there and no one has even been in there lately."

They opened the door and looked in and what do you think they saw? The light was burning brightly and Mary's kitten was playing with the long swing light bulb, just as she played with the spool Mary had fixed for her. "Why," said her father, "the kitten must have been with the light all night and in doing so turned it on. A pretty expensive kitten for us, isn't it, Mary?"

They were all so glad to find the kitten that they forgave it for wasting money by using the light, and when the kitten could not be found after that, one of the family would say: "Better look in the front room and see if she has turned on the light again." But she never did as they kept the room locked after that.

court Monday on these charges. On that of drunkenness he was placed on probation for six months, while in the other case the court ordered him to pay \$25 a month for the support of his wife and children.

CALLS ALL MEN TO ENLIST

LORD DERBY ANNOUNCED 'LAST EFFORT ON BEHALF OF VOLUNTARY SERVICE'

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Lord Derby, whom the government has entrusted with the task of solving the recruiting problem, in addressing a mass meeting at the Mansion house yesterday afternoon gave the gist of the plan with which he hopes to meet the situation.

"I suggest," he said, "that every man who recognizes that the state has a right to call on his services for her protection should enlist at once. All those found physically fit and wishing to join the colors at once could do so, and the remainder continue at their usual vocations, subject to call when needed."

Unmarried and married men, Lord Derby explained, would be put into respective groups, and the bachelors would be called first. Married men would be called later, according to age. By such a system, he pointed out, there would be no sudden, unmanageable number of recruits, but a steady supply as needed by Earl Kitchener.

Some one had asked the speaker, he said, why recruiting was an urgent necessity, to which he replied: "Look at the map."

Lord Derby said that a fortnight would be allowed men who were called to adjust their private affairs. He hoped that with a proper response it would be unnecessary to call the older married men; in any event these older men would go far as practicable be placed in the medical and transport units.

"This is an honest attempt," declared Lord Derby, "to give every man a chance to do his duty—a last effort in behalf of voluntary service. I believe that the voluntary system can be made an unqualified success, but there is no time to lose."

SHOT WIFE AND SELF

CHELSEA MAN ATTACKS WIFE IN PRESENCE OF CHILDREN—BOTH MAY DIE

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Patrick Gallagher shot and dangerously wounded his wife, Mrs. Doline Gallagher, shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a 32-calibre revolver at their home, 76 Spencer avenue, Chelsea, and a few minutes later turned the revolver against himself, inflicting two severe wounds in the head. Both he and his wife are on the dangerous list at the first hospital in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher have nine children, the oldest of whom is 19, and the youngest a baby of six months. The baby and an 8-year-old son, Andrew, were present when Gallagher shot his wife.

The shooting took place in the kitchen. With the blood flowing from a wound near her right temple, Mrs. Gallagher seized her baby and ran into the street screaming for help. She went into the house of Mrs. Lena Wilker of 70 Spencer avenue who saw the young wife running for the doctor, while she helped Mrs. Gallagher to a couch and bathed her wound.

Meantime, Gallagher also dashed into the street and then went back into his house and shot himself. He was found a short time later lying unconscious by the kitchen stove with two bullet wounds in his head.

Young Joseph Wilker soon returned to his house with Dr. McPhail, who bandaged Mrs. Gallagher's wound and sent her to the first hospital in a delivery automobile owned by Mayor Joe L. Malone. The doctor said Gallagher was taken to the hospital in a police ambulance.

According to little Andrew Gallagher who witnessed the shooting, his mother came into the kitchen where his mother was sitting in a rocking chair and asked her whether she intended to go on living with him. She said that she did not, the child declares, and Gallagher immediately drew a revolver from his pocket and shot her.

Frightened by the shot, little Andrew ran out into the back yard, where, when his father returned to the kitchen and shot himself.

The double shooting is apparently the result of Mrs. Gallagher's having caused her husband's arrest on charges of drunkenness and non-support. He was arraigned in the Chelsea district

CUSHMAN BOY AT HOME

State Department Secured Release at Parents' Request—Only 14, But Large for Age

CANTON, Oct. 20.—Robert G. Cushman returned from Ottawa in company with his father, George H. Cushman of Sherman street Monday. Young Cushman, although 14 years old, is about six feet tall and weighs 115 pounds. He was to have entered the sophomore class of Canton high school last month, but although an exemplary boy, he suddenly disappeared from home in July. He was finally located in Canada, where he had joined the expeditionary forces, through a letter to a boy friend, and his parents immediately enlisted the services of the state department.

When Mr. Cushman went to Ottawa to claim his son prior to the sailing of the continental for Europe, he was told by the Canadian military officials that his son, young Cushman, was an American citizen. He was sent for him to obtain his discharge, but that since the young man had proved a model recruit he would be extended the courtesy of an honorable discharge from the British army. He received his discharge at the rate of \$110 a day during the time he was in the service. Young Cushman is a member of the Boy's Club of the Congregational church.

WELL KNOWN ACTOR DEAD

James Blakely, the Actor, Died in London—Played in the United States in Past Years

LONDON, Oct. 20, 1915 a. m.—James Blakely, the actor, died in London yesterday.

Mr. Blakely, who was 42 years old, acquired a considerable reputation in England as a comedian. He played in the United States for nearly three years, beginning in 1902.

PALMER A PROPHET

PREDICTS THAT MAYOR WILL TURN AGAINST COM. MULLANEY BEFORE ELECTION TIME

Jackson Palmer started to work overtime in his campaign last night; that is to say, after addressing a gathering of Cartridge shop employees during the noon hour he was on duty again at midnight, when the night shift was idle and made another address.

If anyone had expected Mr. Palmer was going to discuss the great war loan of the allies, he was doomed to disappointment for Jackson confined himself to local affairs on which he managed to make a very warlike address. Considerable of his subject matter he has spoken before but he also blossomed forth as a political prophet and made a prediction, speaking substantially as follows:

"I have asked Mayor Murphy to tell the people of Lowell whether he would vote for John J. Mullane for license commissioner. Thus far he has failed to reply. Instead, he left the matter to his press agent to explain and the latter has made the attempt."

Mr. Palmer said he would expose the inside facts in the case and cause a split in the liquor camp.

Mr. Palmer then rehearsed the Turcotte case and the explanation of it given by the mayor's press agent.

EXAM. FOR ANNAPOLIS

SIXTEEN BOYS TOOK CIVIL SERVICE TEST THIS MORNING AT CITY HALL

This morning 16 boys, 13 of them from Lowell, presented themselves at the aldermanic council chamber, city hall, to take the civil service examination for the Naval academy, Annapolis, in accordance with the plan devised by Congressman John Jacob Rogers. From the list of successful applicants one principal and three alternates will be selected according to their respective qualifications, the selections to be made as soon as the papers have been marked by the civil service commissioners. Following is the list of boys who took the examination today:

Frederick Sundberg, Stow, Mass.
Edward E. Pare, 57 Crosby street, Lowell.
Edward R. Rhodes, 524 Westford street, Lowell.
D. R. Buchanan, 40 Aberdeen street, Lowell.
Mead Pearson, 20 Wentworth avenue, Lowell.
Allen Honbs, Rolfe street, Lowell.
John Farley, 110 Sixth street, Lowell.
Frederick H. Pyne, 523 Central street, Lowell.
Philip F. Arcen, 9 Lyon street, Lowell.
H. George Portlock, 208 Pleasant street, Lowell.
Herbert L. Coggins, 33 Dover street, Lowell.
Albert W. Pearsall, 15 Fernald street, Lowell.
Edward O'Connell, 16 Bleachery street, Lowell.
Ralph A. Bera, Chelmsford, Mass.
William Sundberg, Stow, Mass.
Benjamin M. Smethurst, 44 D street, Lowell.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

When cross, feverish and sick give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative" and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become highly distressed with waste, their faces thinned, stomachs sore, their eyes become cross, their lips feverish, their feet hot, their breath foul, their breath is bad, their full cheeks have sore throats, stomach-ache, indigestion, listless, nervous. See if Figs is coated, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the constipated waste and bile and indigestible food will be out of the system, and you have a well played child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" to their children because it is so perfectly harmless. Children love it, and it never fails to get on the stomach, liver and bowels. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the label. Beware of cheap imitations sold here, the genuine name is "California Syrup of Figs" and the name "Figs" is on the wrapper. Refuse any other kind with contempt.

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Embroidered Muslin and Organdie Collars, roll and flat effects, can be worn for dress or coat; regular prices 25c, 50c, at 12½c and 15c Each	Net Chemisettes; regular price 50c, at.....25c
Quaker Collar and Cuff Sets; regular price 25c, at.....15c	Georgette Crepe Collars; regular price 50c, at 39c
Hand Embroidered Lawn Vestees, roll or flat effects; regular price 50c, at.....39c Each	Hand Embroidered and Tucked Vestees, roll or flat effects; regular price \$1.00.....79c
	Oriental Lace Guimpes, with long sleeves; regular price \$1.00, at.....75c
	Net Fichues with plaited ruffles; regular price 75c, at.....50c

EAST SECTION

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One of our early fall bargains which makes our underprice basement famous as a shopping place for economical buyers from all over this section.

Blankets full 11-4 size in fine gray color, 50 per cent. wool, good finish, first quality, made to sell at \$3.50. Only \$2.29 a pair.

PALMER STREET

BASEMENT

Half Day Sale in Wash Goods FOR TOMORROW

At 6¼c a yd. At 10c a yd.

500 Yards Corduroy Ratine, white and tan, 27 inches wide, value 25c.	137 pieces, about 4000 yards, comprising value from 12 1-2c to 50c yard.
200 Yards Fancy Ratine, brown and tan, 36 inches wide, value 50c.	VOILES, ORGANDIES, TISSUES, CREPES
700 Yards Plain White Repp, heavy weight, 36 inches wide, value 20c.	POPLINS, NEW CLOTHS, EMBROIDERED NOVELTIES
300 Yards Ripplette, white only, fancy stripe, 27 inches wide, value 17c.	JACQUARDS, CREPE DE CHINE
400 Yards Fine Pongee, suitable for lingerie, 27 inches wide, value 12 1-2c.	All this season's fabrics, light, medium and heavy weight, printed and woven colors, light and dark grounds, 27 and 36 inches wide.
800 Yards Fancy Ratine, blue, brown, pink, gray, 27 inches wide, value 50c.	
1200 Yards Imported Gingham, stripes and plaids, 32 inches wide, value 25c.	

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PALMER STREET—CENTRE AISLE

THURSDAY MORNING ONLY

THURSDAY SPECIALS To Close Out

\$1.98 White Ratine Skirts. To close.....49c	\$5 Serge Dresses (black and navy). To close.....\$2.98
98c Lawn Dressing Sacques. To close.....29c	\$1.98 and \$2.98 Long Lawn Kimonos. To close.....49c
\$15 Black and White Check Coats (2 only). To close.....\$2.98	Children's \$1.98 Wash Dresses. To close 98c
\$5 and \$7.50 White Coats (6 only). To close.....\$1.98	\$5 and \$2.50 White Lingerie Dresses. To close.....\$3.98
\$15 Navy Serge Coats (8 only). To close.....\$2.98	\$1.98 House Dresses. To close.....98c
	\$1.98 Black and Colored Petticoats. To close.....69c

CLOAK DEPT.

SECOND FLOOR



"THE FASHION SHOP."

The Fascinating Musical Comedy at the B. F. Keith Theatre, This Week.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE: James Forbes wonderfully cleverly presented the musical comedy "The Fashion Shop," which has been the greatest success in the history of the management of the Lowell Opera House. The production is a masterpiece of the stage, and the cast is superb. The story is a comedy of the fashion world, and the music is by the famous composer, Victor Young. The production is a masterpiece of the stage, and the cast is superb.

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OWL THEATRE

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CEMETERY BOSS

Provisional Choice of Thomas Duckworth by Cemetery Commission

The cemetery commissioners at a meeting held last night elected Thomas Duckworth superintendent of cemeteries. Mr. Duckworth is a well-known figure in the community, and his appointment was met with approval. The commission also elected a provisional choice of Thomas Duckworth by the cemetery commission.

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frequently. He always found him a gentleman, he said.

A. D. Mitten said if the commission had its mind made up on a superintendent, then he had nothing to say. However, conditions in the past were bad, and because they were, the lot owners framed a bill to give them the control of the cemetery.

"If the lot owners were to take a vote on this matter, I guess you would know how they felt about it," he said.

"When the bill was introduced in the legislature, nothing was said about its efficiency—it was claimed that this bill would take the cemeteries out of politics," said Mr. Mitten.

Then came a history of the drafting of the bill creating the cemetery commission. Capt. Mitten said some unscrupulous politician had dickered with the original bill, so that the commission was short of some of its power.

Mr. Harris wanted a vote taken among those lot owners who were present.

Chairman Robertson said that as soon as politics entered the commission he would resign from it at once. And as soon as the lot owners felt that they could not trust him or abide by his judgment as a commissioner he would not return.

After hearing all of those of the lot owners present who cared to be heard, Mr. Bigly said the commission should ask for a six months' provisional appointment of Mr. Duckworth as superintendent. At the end of that time, if Mr. Duckworth hasn't shown that he fills the bill, then he will favor any appointment the board may desire. He moved that the cemetery commissioners appoint Thomas Duckworth as superintendent of cemeteries for a period of six months, subject to the approval of the civil service commission. After some further talk, the motion was adopted and the salary will be the same as during the past year. Mr. Harris was recorded in the negative on the main motion.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alice Hinckley, late of the County of Middlesex, deceased, appearing by her executor, the undersigned, to wit: Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to publish notice of her application for the probate of her will, and for the appointment of an executor, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any person has any objection to the executor therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held in Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of November, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any person has any objection to the executor therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

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W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick Curran, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by James Curran, who prays that letters testamentary may be granted to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

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PRES. WILSON CHEERED

CAST FIRST BALLOT EVER GIVEN BY UNITED STATES PRESIDENT IN FAVOR OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—President Wilson returned to Washington last night from Princeton after casting the first ballot ever given by a chief executive of the United States in favor of woman suffrage.

The president's brief visit to his legal residence was marked by a more enthusiastic welcome from the Princeton students than ever before had been given him on any of his numerous trips there since he entered the White House. The young men gave noisy evidence of their approval of his stand on the suffrage question.

Cheering, singing, whistling and marching in close formation, they greeted the former head of their university uproariously, and hundreds of them remained near him from the time he arrived until his departure.

Woman suffragists were not much in evidence during the president's visit, and only two approached him to thank him for voting for their cause. There were no women workers at the polling place and no women in the vicinity soliciting votes.

As the president handed the election officer his ballot a corps of photographers asked him to pose.

"No," he said, "this is too serious a matter to make a spectacle of."

On his way to the station a boy driving a grassy wagon almost ran over the president. The boy saw the crowd, but did not see Mr. Wilson.

"Who do you think you are?" shouted the boy, as the crowd bore down on his wagon. Then he saw the president almost under his horse's feet, and pulled away. The president smiled and the crowd laughed.

The president put in a hard day's work going to and coming from Princeton. He spent several hours of his train with his stenographer dictating answers to letters. He also worked on the note to Great Britain regarding interference with American trade, which was sent him from the state department some time ago.

DIED IN A SUICIDE PACT

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 20.—As a result of what the police department believes to have been a suicide pact, Lena Perry and Nina Carleton were found yesterday afternoon in a room in a lodging house on Pleasant street, with the door closed, all crevices in the windows and the kitchen sink full of kerosene, the gas cocks open and the room full of the escaping gas.

An attempt to revive them by the use of the police pulmotor was successful in the case of the Carleton woman, who was taken to the Maine General hospital and was reported last evening to have a fair chance of recovery. Lena Perry died despite all efforts to save her.

52 RAILROADS REPRESENTED

D. of R. T. and O. of R. C. in Convention at Cleveland—May Ask For 8-Hour Day

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 20.—Fifty-two railroads in the territory north of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi are represented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Association of General Committees of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and Order of Railroad Conductors, in session here today.

The proposal of the executive committee to make a demand January 1 for an eight-hour day with time and a half for overtime and other modifications of the working agreement was one of the chief matters for discussion.

ASKS PACKERS FOR EVIDENCE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The state department has asked the Chicago packers, protesting against British cessation of their meat shipments to neutrals, to submit further evidence that the meat was not intended for Great Britain's enemies. The cases are covered in a general way in the note to London on interference with neutral trade, now awaiting President Wilson's approval. Whether in addition special representations will be made on behalf of the packers, depends, it is understood, on the evidence now asked for.

Two Chinese girls, beneficiaries of the Chinese government, have entered the freshman class at Vassar college.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1905, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 171, of the Acts of 1912, and Chapter 171, of the Acts of 1913, notice is hereby given that Book No. 1833 on the Washington Savings Institution is lost or destroyed, and a new book has been issued and application has been made for payment of the amount.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alice Hinckley, late of the County of Middlesex, deceased, appearing by her executor, the undersigned, to wit: Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Alice Hinckley of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her official bond, and you are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held in Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of November, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any person has any objection to the executor therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to publish notice of her application for the probate of her will, and for the appointment of an executor, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any person has any objection to the executor therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick Curran, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by James Curran, who prays that letters testamentary may be granted to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held in Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any person has any objection to the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

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7-ROOM lower flat to let; steam heat, electric light, gas at \$18 Bridge st. Inquire 34 Tweed st. Tel. 1458-W, or 2355-W.

7-ROOM FLAT to let on Canton st. with modern improvements and a garden. \$15 month. Apply to Asa C. Smith, 431 Village st.

EXCELLENT 5-room tenements, to let; West Tenth st. See J. A. Spauls, 715 Chelmsford st.

TENEMENT to let in Middlesex Village; five rooms and bath. Apply at 31 Chelmsford Park.

6-ROOM FLAT to let at 9 Bourne st.; bath, set tub, hot water, gas, electric lights, and large front porch. Apply to Bart Cary, 9 Bourne st.

VERY sunny five-room tenement to let to man and wife; gas; central water; 15 Fulton st.; Centralville; \$1000; per week. Apply 27 Westford st.

6-ROOM tenement to let at 27 Seventh st. Keys at 31 Hampshire st.

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THREE rooms to let, with separate toilet, cor. Middlesex and Howard sts. \$2 per week; 5 rooms, 15 Watson ave. near Depot; 2 per week; 5 rooms, Tel. 4 Cross st. \$150 per week. Apply C. Harry Clark, 500 Middlesex st.

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PIANOS and organs tuned and repaired. Tuning \$1. J. Kershaw, 60 Humphrey st. Tel. 271-M.

STOVE REPAIRS—We carry in stock stoves, ranges, water fronts and other parts to all latitudes. Send \$1.00. Quinn Stove Repair Co., 119 Gorham st.

IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget when taking your train for Lowell.

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STENOGRAPHERS, writers, typewriters, clerks, wanted at once; wages \$7 to \$10; steady work; good location; all wanted. Middlesex Employment Agency, 165 Middlesex st.

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ONE GOODYEAR lock, auto machine operator wanted on boys' watch shoes. Federal Shoe Co., Dix st.

TWO GLAZIERS wanted. Apply P. D. Macauliffe, 43 Shaffer st.

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LOWELL CHORAL SOCIETY

TWO FINE CONCERTS PLANNED FOR THE COMING WINTER—NOTED STARS COMING

The Lowell Choral society held its first rehearsal last evening with the largest initial attendance in the history of the society.

The choir, which will give two concerts in Keith's theatre during the coming winter, has engaged as its soloists some of the finest singers in the concert field.

The soloists for Handel's "Messiah," which will be given in January, are Anita Rio, soprano; Alma Beck, contralto; William Wheeler, tenor and Wilfred Glenn, bass.

The Boston festival orchestra, which is very well known to local music lovers, has also been engaged.

Anita Rio, who will sing the soprano part in the "Messiah," is a very highly accomplished singer and has sung the "Messiah" many times with great success.

Her most recent triumph was in Milwaukee when she sang the "Messiah" in conjunction with Evan Williams and Florence Hinkle. She received a big ovation.

William Wheeler sang in Nashua last year in "Sampson and Delilah" and gave an impressive performance. He will undoubtedly sing equally well in the "Messiah." The choral is fortunate in securing his services.

The second concert, to be held in May, will offer a miscellaneous program consisting of Deems Taylor's "Highwayman," Coumoud's "Gallia" and other numbers.

Mabel Garrison, soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera company and Reinhold Werrenrath, who has been heard on three other occasions in Lowell, will be the principals.

The chorus work of the society bids fair to outline that of its last concert, "Sampson and Delilah."

KEY WORKER ARRESTED

MAN WHO LIVED HERE SOME TIME AGO ARRESTED IN METHUEN AND HELD FOR GRAND JURY

LAWRENCE, Oct. 26.—Alfred J. Labele, who was arrested in Methuen Sunday and who later confessed it is claimed, to entering houses in that town by means of keys, was arraigned in the Methuen police court Monday afternoon before Judge William H. Rogers, who found probable cause to bind the defendant over to the grand jury in \$500 bonds.

He was unable to furnish the required bail and he was committed to the house of correction in this city to await a further hearing. Labele has recently lived in Lowell, it is claimed.

Several articles of clothing and jewelry which were found in his room at the Postoffice Square chambers, have been identified, it is reported, by local people.

The defendant was arrested on High street, Methuen, Sunday afternoon, by Patrolmen Beaumont and Morgan. He had aroused suspicion there by repeated inquiries as to the whereabouts of Sullivan. When taken to the police station he was searched and considerable jewelry and a large amount of money was found on him.

After considerable questioning, Labele admitted, it is claimed, entering the homes of Thomas Leaver on Broadway, Methuen, and Paul Sharkey on Tenney street. At the former place he secured a lady's gold hunting-case watch and a \$5 bill. In the latter place he took a suit of clothes, pants and coat of another suit, a blue overcoat, lady's handbag and a gold ring.

FIFTH STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Congressman Rogers Addressed Men's Club on Doings at Washington and Work of Congress

"Current Events in Washington," was the subject of a very interesting talk by Congressman John J. Rogers before the members of the Men's club of the Fifth Street Baptist church last evening. The congressman's talk included a review of the general routine in the house of representatives. The private life of the law-makers at Washington was also touched on and the speaker kept his auditors interested for the greater part of an hour.

ROSS DEAD OF INJURIES

Bangor & Aroostook Freight Breaker Lost Both Legs While Making His First Trip

MILLINOCKET, Me., Oct. 25.—William T. Ross, aged 22, of Brewer, died in a hospital here. He was making his first trip as a freight brakeman for the Bangor & Aroostook railroad and fell beneath a locomotive at West Sebasticus, crushing both legs so that amputation below the knees was necessary. He survived about eight hours.

TO ATTACK MONTENEGRO

LONDON, Oct. 20, 10.45 a. m.—It is reported from Frankfurt that the central powers have decided to undertake still another campaign. This time against Montenegro. According to this report, forwarded from Amsterdam by a correspondent of the Central News, 20,000 Austrian and German infantrymen with artillery, have arrived from Galicia at Sarajevo in Bosnia, about 60 miles north of the Montenegrin border. These troops, the correspondent says, will soon be despatched against the Montenegrins with whom there has been only desultory fighting for months.

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GOODS CONSIST OF SEVERAL BIGELOW ART SQUARES, 9x12, 8x10-6, IN VARIOUS PATTERNS; TAPESTRY ART SQUARES, 9x12, 40 SMALL AXMINSTER RUGS, THREE BRASS BEDS WITH NATIONAL SPRINGS, 10 WHITE IRON BEDS WITH NATIONAL SPRINGS, SILK FLOSS, HAIR AND COMBINATION MATTRESS, NO. 8 RANGE, DINING TABLE, DINING CHAIRS, OAK BUFFET, THREE DRESSERS, ODD CHAIRS AND ROCKERS. GOODS NOW ON EXHIBITION—OPEN EVENINGS.

JOHN J. DEVINE DEAD

WELL KNOWN LAWYER STRICKEN WITH HEART DISEASE AT HIS HOME IN WARE STREET

The report of the sudden death of John J. Devine, the well known lawyer, rapidly circulated down town last evening, was received everywhere with expressions of deep sorrow and regret.

Mr. Devine was found dead in his home, 5 Ware street, about 6 o'clock in the evening, by his two sisters upon their return after the day's absence from the house. He was found seated in the bathroom, partially clothed, and the condition of the room showed that evidence of his preparation to take a bath when stricken. Medical Examiner Meigs was called and upon viewing the body pronounced death due to heart disease. His close friends were aware of the fact that he had had slight attacks of heart failure in the past.

Mr. Devine had been engaged at his law office in the Hilditch building until shortly after 9 o'clock, Monday evening and upon closing his office he went directly to his home complaining of not feeling well. When his sisters left the house yesterday morning he had been dead several hours and it is supposed he passed away during the night. The fact that there had been a slight gas leak in one of the gas pipes of the house for a week or more, led to a sensational, but entirely unfounded rumor.

John J. Devine was born in Lowell in 1872. He was educated at the Edison and Lowell high schools, graduating from the latter as a Carney medal scholar in the class of 1890. After finishing school he received a position as clerk in the office of the board of assessors, at a time when the late Judge Nathan D. Pratt was a member of the board. Attracted by the young clerk's unusual ability and cleverness, Judge Pratt advised Mr. Devine to take up the study of law during his leisure hours and the latter did so, reading law at night in the office of Pratt and Quinn. About 20 years ago he was admitted to the bar and succeeded the late Edward B. Quinn, as judge Pratt's law partner. When Judge Pratt was elevated to the bench, the partnership was dissolved and since that time Mr. Devine had carried on the firm's law business alone, and with success. He was a very able lawyer and enjoyed the respect and confidence of all the practicing attorneys of the city. His advice was sound, his judgment good, and he was the soul of honor in all his dealings. His ability was well known to those who were intimately acquainted with him. Personally, while rather reserved and distant of manner, he was kindly, sympathetic, generous to a fault and a true friend always. He was most charitable in an unostentatious way, and was ever ready to contribute freely of his services and his means to any worthy cause. He was a member of the Lowell Bar association, Lowell lodge of Elks and other organizations. He is survived by two sisters.

ROLE OF KING FERDINAND

During Thirty Years He Has Stood Between Russia and Bulgaria, Says Paper

LONDON, Oct. 20, 4.30 a. m.—A despatch from the Petrograd correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Co. says: "The Official Messenger will tomorrow publish a long communication from the Russian government concerning the role played by King Ferdinand, who remained a German prince although reigning in Bulgaria. The communication terminates thus: "During almost 30 years the prince of Coburg has stood between Russia and Bulgaria. Throughout this period Russia never ceased to hope that its border people would at last open their eyes. Even now when Bulgaria sacrifices itself to German perfidy Russia still has not abandoned the hope that the Bulgarians, faithful to their historic traditions, will not lift their hands against the sons of the Russian warriors who died for Bulgaria."

BATTERY OFFICERS

The election of a captain for Battery C, Light Artillery, M.V.A., took place at the armory in Methuen Monday and Junior First Lieutenant Watkins W. Roberts was chosen to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Capt. Thornton D. Howe, who is now major of the new Cadets Battery.

Wesley J. Wheeler was elected junior second lieutenant, while Lieutenants Roy Daniels and Sumner H. Needham, the latter of Lowell, were both advanced in the ranks.

OPPOSE LAND AND SEA ATTACK

LONDON, Oct. 20, 10.20 a. m.—Advices from Athens indicate that Turkey and Bulgaria are undertaking energetic measures to oppose the land and sea operations of the entente allies in the Balkans. The Athens correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Co. reports that Turkish forces are being concentrated in the region of Belashatoh on the Aegean sea. Large Bulgarian forces, the correspondent states, are being moved toward the Rumanian frontier.

The French and British ministers at Athens, the despatch also says, asked the Greek government to sanction arrangements to provide for Serbian refugees on Greek territory. Premier Zaimis agreed with the stipulation that Serbia guarantee maintenance of the refugees.

BULGARIAN COAST MINED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Bulgarian coast on the Aegean and Black seas has been mined according to a despatch today from American Minister Onizka at Bucharest. He also stated that the port of Debarbo had been closed to navigation since Oct. 1.

HEAD-ON CRASH

Seven Convertibles in Collision at Boston—9 Persons Injured

BOSTON, Oct. 19.—A rear-end collision between two big semiconvertible cars on the viaduct at Lowell and Causeway sts. a few minutes after 5 o'clock last evening badly damaged the cars and sent nine passengers to the Haymarket-sq. Relief hospital for treatment.

The Injured

The injured detained at the hospital are: Mrs. Fanny S. Francis, 55 years, 5 Chandler st., West Somerville, contusions to left chest and throat.

Patrick Dwyer, 36 years, 65 Plymouth st., Cambridge contusions to back.

Mrs. Irene Hopper, 53 years, 191 Lowell st., Somerville, contusions to lower lip, right chest and throat.

The injured sent home after treatment: Samuel Cohen, 27 years, 93 Chelsea st., Chelsea, contusions to lower lip and right forearm.

Barketo Sarno, 40 years, 23 Cleveland pl., Boston, contusions to right lower leg, lacerated chin, left wrist, scalp wound and contusion to knee.

Julia E. Larabee, 59 years, 150 Cambridge st., East Cambridge, contusions to the abdomen and both legs.

Margaret Kelley, 50 years, 18 Lenox av., West Somerville, contusions to left lower leg.

Max Alperovitz, 48 years, 105 Chestnut st., Chelsea, contusions to left ankle.

Alex. Moogin, 39 years, 428 Fountain st., Providence, R. I., contusions and abrasions to scalp and left wrist.

Police Not Appried

Though the crash and screams of passengers could be heard a long distance the police did not learn of the accident until more than 2 1-2 hours after the injured persons were removed to the hospital.

No police officers were called to the wreck and no police ambulances were ordered for the injured, who were taken from the wrecked cars by employees of the elevated and sent to the hospital in another car, from which the passengers were unloaded at the North station platform.

The car on which practically all of the injured were riding is of the "trailer" type and was inbound from Clarendon hills, with F. Wallace as conductor and J. O'Leary, as motor-man.

Conductor J. W. Donohue had charge of the other car, which was operated by Motorman J. H. White. It was also from Clarendon hills.

Traffic was tied up on the inward tracks for about half an hour while wrecking crews were clearing the rails and moving the cars. This came during the rush hour and all cars behind the wreck were sent over the surface to their destinations.

Mystery in Accident

How the accident happened could not be explained. It was said that the first car stopped near the corner of Lowell and Causeway sts. when Motorman O'Leary found the block signal set against him. His car had been at a standstill only a short time when the crash came. Why two cars were in the same "block" is also inexplicable by the "L."

The number of passengers on the cars could not be given, but it was said that they were not crowded. Neither car left the rails and this had much to do with preventing a wild panic, as the rails at this point are many feet above the pavements.

The crash of glass and screams of men and women in the cars were heard by company officials on duty at the North station two blocks away, who rushed to the scene. When they saw the injured scattered about the cars they sent for ambulances from the Relief hospital.

Before these ambulances arrived an inspector of the road, realizing that it would be painful for the injured to be carried over the rails for two blocks and then down stairs to the ambulances on the street, stopped a car outbound on the other track and used it as an ambulance.

The tracks were cleared and the car rushed to the Haymarket subway station, where the passengers were carried across the square to the hospital. The badly injured were moved in ambulances rushed from the scene of the accident to the subway station.

GIFTS TO PRES. WILSON

BAR OF GOLD FROM CALIFORNIA MINE TO MAKE WEDDING RING FOR MRS. GALT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—President Wilson today received a delegation of women and girls from California who gave him a piece of gold from a California mine and also a bar of gold to make a wedding ring for Mrs. Norman Galt, his fiancée. The delegation also brought petitions signed by 300,000 Californians urging the president to visit the San Francisco exposition before it closes in December. Later the women gave Mrs. Galt a cluster of California orange blossoms.

The president told his callers he wanted to visit the San Francisco and San Diego expositions but had been too busy to go west. He said that he did not think he could go but would change his plans if it were possible.

The petitions were presented by Altha McCuen an 11 year old school girl of San Francisco.

UNITED STATES NEUTRAL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—President Wilson today signed a proclamation, giving notice of the neutrality of the United States in the war between Serbia and Bulgaria. The proclamation was along the same general lines as those already issued covering the wars between other nations.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

AT THE DARDANELLES

BRITISH SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES—MANY SICK—APPOINTMENT OF GEN. MONRO PRAISED

LONDON, Oct. 20, 4.01 a. m.—The unbusiness regarding the Dardanelles operations has been increased by the explanation by Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary for war in parliament yesterday that the recently announced figures showing nearly 27,000 casualties at the Dardanelles, did not include the sick. This, he explained, was because the number of sick varied from day to day and could not be counted. With the example of the Dardanelles expedition many members of parliament express anxiety about the size of the Serbian expedition, fearing that a similar mistake would be made. In this connection the Daily News prints a rumor that Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton, recently relieved as commander of the British land forces at the Dardanelles already has arrived in England.

The newspapers continue to laud the appointment of Major-General Sir Charles Carmichael Monro as successor to Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton in the Dardanelles post. At the outbreak of hostilities Gen. Monro was merely an officer of the militia force.

Today as commander-in-chief, he is entrusted with the most difficult and dangerous task ever undertaken by British arms. He is comparatively young for such a high command, being only 55 years old. As a soldier his chief characteristics, according to one newspaper critic, are "instant judgment, unimpaired receptiveness to ideas, imperturbability and popularity with the rank and file." In France he distinguished himself in the retreat to the Marne and the Alsne fighting.

Halloween party, Richardson Hotel, Thursday evening, Oct. 28.

MANCHESTER BOY KILLED

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 20.—Adrian Blodau, 12 years old, was struck by an automobile driven by Joseph Gagnon, at the corner of Main and Arroyo streets in West Manchester yesterday and died shortly after reaching the Notre Dame hospital. He sustained a compound fracture of the skull.

HEAD OF CLASS

Miss Flahavan Chosen President of Seniors at Normal School

The senior class of the State Normal school held a business meeting and election of officers in the lecture room of the school yesterday afternoon. Miss Katherine Flahavan, president of last year's junior class, was unanimously elected president of the senior class.

Miss Flahavan has always been very popular with her schoolmates and looked to as their leader. She was



MISS KATHERINE FLAHAHAN President

graduated from the high school in the class of 1914, she being at that time vice president of the high school class and senior major of the girls' battalion. Upon entering the Normal school she soon became a favorite and now heads the senior class.

The other officers of the class chosen yesterday are as follows: Miss Honora Lane, vice president; Miss Marguerite Mahoney, treasurer; Misses Edith McGovern and Helen Welch, counsels.

AGAINST ANY LOTTERY

Conference Between Russian Minister of Finance and Bankers to Consider Credit Plans

LONDON, Oct. 20, 4.15 a. m.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Times sends the following: "A conference has been held between Pierre L. Bark, Russian minister of finance, and representatives of the principal Petrograd and Moscow banks to consider credit operations and the position of the Russian exchange. They decided against any lottery and in favor of a short term loan the details of which will be settled by the finance committee today."

"Permission has been granted to the Russo-American chamber of commerce in Moscow to import duty free, commercial samples from America for the encouragement of the development of the Russo-American trade."

STOMACH TROUBLES

Digestion is largely a mechanical process. When there are stomach troubles there is usually a weakness of the muscles upon which digestion so largely depends. To strengthen these muscles and overcome stomach troubles our druggists, Liggett's drug store, Riker-Jaynes drug store and Routhier & Deltis, proprietors of the Lowell Pharmacy, guarantee Vinol, a reliable non-secret remedy, which contains iron to purify and enrich the blood, the medicinal extractives of fresh cod livers, without oil, and the nourishing properties of beef peptone, all combined in a delicious native wine. If you are suffering from stomach trouble, it will pay you to try it.

LEAVE BULGARIAN COAST

CIVILIAN POPULATION ALONG THE AEGEAN SEA EVACUATES—OIL DERS TO FRENCH TROOPS

PARIS, Oct. 20, 10.20 a. m.—The Saloniki correspondent of the Havas agency sends the following despatch under Tuesday's date: "French troops having received orders not to pass the Bulgarian frontier, Strumitsa has not been occupied by the allies."

"The Bulgarians are concentrating troops in haste in Dobrudja, supposedly because Rumania appears to be leaning more towards the entente. At the same time three divisions of Bulgarian troops are being concentrated on the Greek frontier."

"Communications by the Uskub railway now are said to be definitely assured for the allied troops."

"The entire Bulgarian coast on the Aegean sea has been evacuated by the civilian population and the allies."

AN ARMLESS WONDER

BUFFALO SCHOOL BOY HOLDS PEN BETWEEN CHIN AND SHOULDER—CAN WRITE AND DRAW WELL

ALBANY, Oct. 20.—The state education department has discovered an armless wonder in Thos. P. McAuliffe, a student in the Buffalo Hutchison Central high school. His physics examination paper, just received, was among the best of those who took the test, and he passed with a high percentage.

The boy writes by holding the pen between his chin and shoulder. The examination paper showed clear and very regular writing, and the drawings were excellent.

Charles N. Cobb, the department inspector of examinations, said that McAuliffe worked slowly, but with apparent ease. The pen has to be placed in his position by the teacher in charge of the examination.

The boy has studied physics for 30 weeks, and his instructors report him an exceptionally bright scholar. He was born without arms.

ARE YOU A HALF-SIZED MAN?

If You Are, You Want to Go to Boston For Your Suit

LISTEN:--

Any man who has bought clothing, shoes and hats, and especially those who have dealt in them, knows that there is a half a size difference in the fit of the same size between the different makes.

In the matter of shoes, the difference arises in the lasting; some men pull the stock tighter over the last than others. In the matter of clothing, it arises in the stitching; some operators sew closer to the line than others. In whatever line of apparel, no two factories will produce the same fitting proportion from the same models, and that is assuming that the models are exactly the same—which they are not.

Therefore the necessity of having several manufacturers' lines to obviate this difficulty; no store can fit the public with one line of shoes, or one line of clothing and do it as well as it might be done.

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